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WAR DEBT TALKS TO BEGIN IN JULY

WASHINGTON SEN. NG OUT INVITATIONS

THE ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

Washington, June 20.
It is intimated that war debt talks, aiming at a final settlement of the question, will be initiated very shortly.

The negotiations will take place in Washington and each of America's debtors will be received separately.

The decision applies, it is understood, only to those countries who have paid their debt instalments in full, or who made token payments in respect of the June instalment.

This automatically rules out, at this juncture, negotiations with France, Belgium and Poland.

IN ORDER.

The State Department, it is reliably reported has already drafted a schedule of projected talks with America's debtors, commencing in late July.

The order in which President Roosevelt will hear the countries will depend upon the proportion of the debt paid on June 15. Thus Finland, which made full payment, will be the first heard and Britain, which paid U.S. \$10,000,000, will be the second.—*Reuter*.

THE "SHANTUNG" INCIDENT

NO SETTLEMENT YET REACHED

No settlement of the Canton dispute affecting the China Navigation Company has yet been effected, according to latest reports from Canton.

The stevedores and wharf coolies are still declining to work the s.s. Shantung, though she is not the vessel subject to complaint, while it is stated that pickets are stationed to prevent other labour being employed for this purpose.

RIVER LEVELS SUBSIDING

NO FURTHER FEARS OF FLOOD

Fears of a flood disaster in the Kwangtung and Kwangsi districts are practically over.

The river levels continue to subside. The West River yesterday fell from 28.9 feet to 25.3 feet at Shihing, the North River fell from 12.5 feet to 9.5 feet at Tsing-yuen, and from 19.7 feet to 17.4 feet at Samshui.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

SATURDAY CLOSURE DECISION

London, June 20.
It has been decided to close down the London Stock Exchange on Saturdays during the summer months. The Saturday closure will come into operation on July 15 and terminate on September 9, both days inclusive.—*Reuter*.

HONGKONG CRICKET TEAM AT HOME

GOOD DISPLAY AT TAUNTON

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Some brilliant bowling by A. C. Beck and sound batting by F. S. W. Smith were the features of the first day's play at Taunton yesterday when Hongkong commenced their match against the Somerset Stragglers. The Stragglers led by thirteen runs on the first innings. Details will be found in Page Eight.

GANDHI IMPROVES

NOW PUTTING ON WEIGHT

SON'S MARRIAGE EXCITEMENT

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Poona, June 19.
Following his recent setback, the Mahatma Gandhi is now reported to be making satisfactory progress towards recovery.

The setback is attributed to the excitement attendant upon the recent marriage of his son, Devadas, to a high-caste Brahmin girl, which brought strong opposition from the Brahmins.

It is not now anticipated that Gandhi will experience any further trouble. He is slowly putting on weight and now weighs six stone, seven pounds.

He is able to get up and to read for two hours daily.—*Reuter*.

CIVIL SERVANT ROBBED

EX-EMPLOYEE CAUGHT AFTER 3 YEARS

Tang Hok-chau was charged before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, for stealing \$506 and a gold watch and chain, the property of Mr. H. E. Strange, the well-known cricketer, in July, 1930.

The defendant was sentenced to three months' hard labour, Mr. Schofield remarking that it was no good making an order for restitution as defendant was destitute.

MR. T. V. SOONG IN PARIS

FLIES FROM LONDON FOR TALKS

Paris, June 19.
Mr. T. V. Soong flew from London to Paris to-day. He was met at Le Bourget by Dr. Wellington Koo.

It is understood that the Finance Minister will remain in Paris for three or four days and will meet M. Daladier and other officials to-morrow.—*Reuter*.

KEY PITTMAN'S SCHEME

REDUCTION OF AMOUNT OF GOLD COVER

SILVER-GOLD RATIO IN RESERVES

LONDON, JUNE 19.

THE FIRST DEFINITE MOVE AT THE WORLD ECONOMIC CONFERENCE AIMING AT THE REHABILITATION OF SILVER WAS MADE TO-DAY BY SENATOR KEY PITTMAN, WHO SUBMITTED AN IMPORTANT RESOLUTION TO THE MONETARY SUB-COMMITTEE.

The resolution is backed by all the American delegates and it requires all central banks immediately to institute a lower legal gold cover for currency.

The Americans suggest a uniform 25 per cent. metallic coverage and also the remonetisation of silver.

The central banks' metallic cover, says the resolution should consist of eighty per cent. gold and twenty per cent. optional, gold or silver, provided silver can be purchased at or below current prices.

RESTORATION OF GOLD STANDARD

The American resolution which has been tabled by the Committee, suggests that gold should be re-established as the international measure of exchange values.

The use of gold should be confined to cover for the circulation of paper currency and as a medium for settling international balances payment.

SILVER CONFIDENCE.

The resolution adds that in view of the necessity for restoring the confidence of the East in its purchasing medium, silver, which can only be done if the price of silver is restored to equilibrium with commodity price levels, steps should be taken to rehabilitate silver.

It is suggested with this object, *inter alia*, that an agreement be sought between the chief silver producing and silver-using countries to limit arbitrary sales upon the world market.

Senator Pittman, in introducing the resolution, declared it to be the first international recognition of silver since 1873.—*Reuter*.

CONTROL OF OUTPUT.

London, June 19.
Considerable discussion took place during to-day's session of the economic commission on the French proposal for the international organisation of the production and marketing of certain products, including wheat, wine, timber, cotton, coal, oil, wool, silver, and so on.

Mr. Walter Runciman, the President of the Board of Trade, supported the French proposal on behalf of the British Government.

A THOUGHT FOR CONSUMER.

He said that Britain attached much importance to schemes for the regulation of the output of primary products in order to raise prices, always provided that such schemes were widely supported and carried safeguards for consumers' interests.—*Reuter*.

PROF. MOLEY SAILING.

Washington, June 19.
Professor Raymond Moley, President Roosevelt's confidential economic adviser, has left for New York and (as exclusively foreseen

in the "Telegraph") he will sail for London to-morrow.
He is sailing in the American liner "Manhattan," and the purpose of his visit is associated with the negotiations at the World Economic Conference for a temporary stabilisation of the world's leading currencies.—*Reuter*.

POLO PLAYERS OPEN TO BIDS

LORD KIMBERLEY & PROFESSIONALISM

"HIRED ASSASSINS"

The Earl of Kimberley recently made an outspoken attack on professionalism in polo, and revealed that the Hurlingham Club Polo Committee were taking steps to end it after this season.

Lord Kimberley, who is himself a polo player, was speaking at a luncheon of the British Sportsman's Club, given in London to the Maharajah of Jalpur and the Indian polo team visiting England.

He regretted that polo in London was at rather a low ebb.
"The standard of what we call first-class polo," he said, "is lower in this country than it has ever been. The main reason for this is that during the last ten years the canker of professionalism has crept into our game in this country."

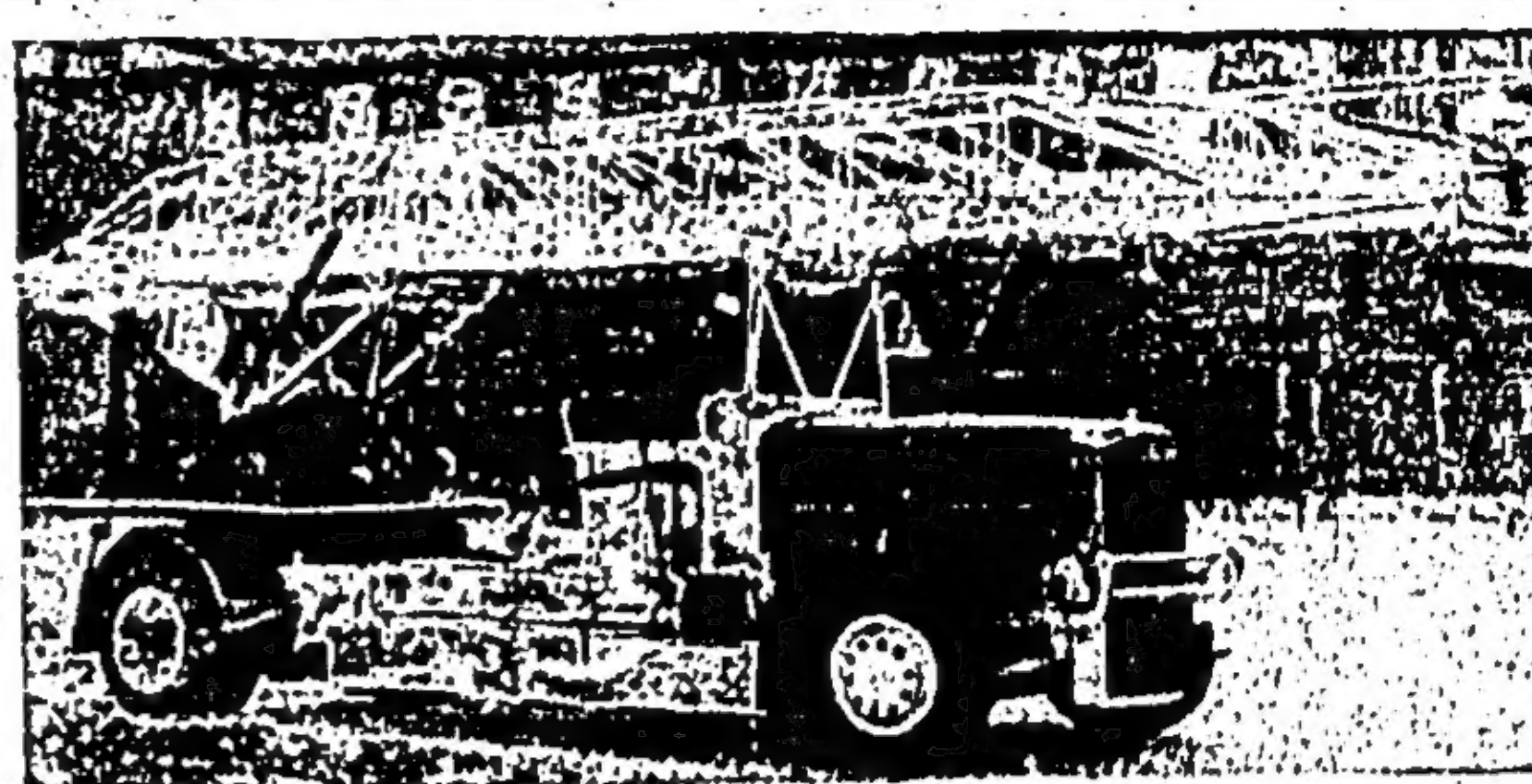
"Our polo to-day, in some cases, I only say in some cases—is almost on a par with professional Association football."

"Certain players sell themselves and are bought. Certain patrons, rich patrons, bid for these players and the highest bidder gets them."

This state of things has discouraged many young and promising players from taking up the game seriously because they felt that they had no chance in present-day polo without a hired assassin on their side.

"This question was brought to the notice of the Hurlingham Club Polo Committee, and in spite of strong opposition from a small section, the stewards have definitely decided to put an end to it after this season."

"The only reason that they have not done so now at the beginning of the season is that certain con-



The new motor turn-table fire escape built in London for the Hong Kong Fire Brigade. The ladder is built entirely of steel and extends to a height of 100 feet. It has not yet been delivered.

FANATICAL NUDISTS

FIFTY DOUKHOBORS ARRESTED

PROTEST PARADE

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Ottawa, June 19.
Fifty naked Doukhobors, a Russian fanatical sect, who insisted upon holding a nudist parade despite warnings by the authorities, were arrested by the police to-day.

The incident occurred at Kamisk, in Saskatchewan.

Both men and women participated in the nudist parade, which was staged as a protest against the compulsory attendance of their children at school.

Soon after the parade had commenced, the nudists were surrounded by the police and bundled into trucks and police cars and taken to the nearest jail.

OTHERS ISOLATED.

This is the first renewal of the Doukhobor nude parades since last autumn when several hundred paraders in the British Columbia Colony were isolated on an island off the Pacific coast.—*Reuter*.

WAR ON PIRATES

CHINESE SHIPPING MEN'S PROTEST

Nanking, June 19.
Following the appeals of Chinese shipping companies, who are alarmed at the rampancy of pirates along the China coast, the Ministry of Communications has drawn the attention of the Ministry of the Navy, and of the Provincial Governments of Kiangsu, Fukien, Chekiang, Kwangtung and Shantung, to the necessity of joint action to round up the pirates.

Chinese shipping circles point out that while the coastal waters of Kwangtung were formerly notorious for pirates, the activities of these rovers have now spread as far North as Shantung and no fewer than five merchant vessels were pirated on the China coast between January and May.

It is hoped that a serious effort will be made by the government bodies concerned to stamp out the menace.—*Reuter*.

Anti-Bandit Drive.

Hankin, June 19.
Official preparations for launching extensive anti-bandit drives in Kirin Province are now almost completed.—*Reuter*.

tracts have been entered into between patrons and professionals.

"In future the stewards will allow any player to have all his expenses paid and get his polo for nothing, but they will not allow any players to make money directly or indirectly out of playing the game."

Lord Kimberley added that he was glad to say that polo in the Army was flourishing.

NAZI PARTY BAN IN AUSTRIA

NECESSARY FOR LAW AND ORDER

Vienna, June 19.

Dr. Schuschnigg to-day announced that the Cabinet has decided to forbid all the activities of the Nazi Party throughout Austria.

He declared that the Government had done everything to avoid extreme measures and bloodshed, but the latest events, bombings and so on, had made necessary immediate and strong action for the maintenance of law and order.—*Reuter*.

BREEZE AT GENEVA

GERMAN THREAT TO RESIGN

CRISIS AT LABOUR CONFERENCE

Geneva, June 19.

A serious crisis has arisen in the conference of the International Labour Office.

The German delegates have threatened to resign unless they receive satisfactory excuses for the attitude of the workers' delegate, Dr. Ley.

It is understood that the remarks of Dr. Ley, to the effect that the South American States had not the right to vote on a footing of equality with the representatives of Germany and Italy, led the workers to decide to challenge his credentials when the question came before the Conference.

The German delegates thereupon threatened to withdraw.

The Bureau of the Conference has issued a statement to the effect that no affront has been offered to the German delegation at any sitting of the Conference.—*Reuter*.

U.S. KIDNAPPING RACKET

LARGE SUM PAID FOR BREWER'S RELEASE

New York, June 19.

The release of Mr. William Hamm, the wealthy Minnesota brewer who was kidnapped on Friday last, was effected after the payment of a heavy ransom.

The exact amount has not been disclosed, but a message from Duluth, Minnesota, states that it was less than the \$100,000 demanded by the kidnappers.—*Reuter*.

PACIFIC DIPLOMACY

UNITED STATES AND JAPAN

THAT ARBITRATION TREATY TALK

London, June 19.

The interest with which the Soviet delegation is reported to be following the negotiations between Japan and the United States said to be for the conclusion of an arbitration treaty, is not shared by Mr. Quo Tai-chi.

In an interview with *Reuter*, the Chinese diplomat expressed the opinion that the interests of China and the United States in the Pacific were perfectly uniform. He was sure that the United States will not enter into conversations prejudicial to Chinese interests.

It will be recalled that the first report of negotiations for an arbitration treaty emanated from Tokyo, attributing the commencement of discussions to that end by Viscount Ishii.

The report was immediately met with a statement by President Roosevelt denying that such a question was raised at any time during Viscount Ishii's visit to Washington.—*Reuter*.

BABE RUTH ILL IN BED

CHICAGO SEIZE THEIR CHANCE

New York, June 19.

"Babe" Ruth is ill in bed and could not turn out for the Yankees to-day, who were nosed out by Chicago.

Washington Senators hit hard and often against St. Louis and piled up 10 runs, whilst Detroit helped themselves to nine against the Philadelphia pitchers.

Schumacher pitched for the Giants and blanked out Chicago after the Giants had not had three runs.

Scores as supplied by *Reuter* were:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	R	H	E
New York	3	7	4
Chicago	0	3	0

(Schumacher pitched).

Philadelphia	8	12	2
Cincinnati	7	14	2

Bottomley homered for Cincinnati, and Klein for Philadelphia.

Brooklyn	6	10	1
St. Louis	5	15	0

(Taylor homered for St. Louis).

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland	2	5	2
Boston	5	10	3

(Warstler homered for Boston).

Chicago	4	10	1
New York	3	7	0

(Gehrig homered for New York).

Detroit	9	13	1
Philadelphia	4	6	2

(Higgins homered for Philadelphia and Gehringer for Detroit).

St. Louis	4	10	3
Washington	10	22	1

(Schulte, Huhel, Harris and Cronin homered for Washington and Campbell for St. Louis).

AMATEUR GOLF

Title-Holder Upset By Hananay.

At Hoylake in the Amateur Golf Championship second round to-day G. Hananay, of Woking, beat the holder, John de Forest, Royal and Ancient Club, at the twentieth hole.



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THE WORLD OF WOMEN

DOTS—AND DASHING

Piano-roll Print in Brown and White Strikes Up a Happy Tune for Chic



Player piano rolls provide the inspiration for this dotted ensemble of brown and white printed silk. The wide belt of crocodile grain brown calfskin has a wooden buckle. The frock, with its cape sleeves, has a collar, cuffs and tie of white crepe which may be detached for laundering. The coat has the Gibson Girl sleeve, ending at the elbow. White doekin gloves and a sailor of brown hand-torn straw braid complete the costume.



EVENING GOWNS

A Blow to the "Don't Dress" Movement

(From a Paris Correspondent)

The "don't dress" movement has received a blow. Women have gone back to being "beautiful ladies, richly dressed," in the evening.

Clothes that can go on from five to midnight are still fashionable, but they are getting a lot of competition from dresses that can only bloom in a glittering evening atmosphere. The judgment of Paris has been passed in favour of the real evening dress for evening wear, when, and if possible.

There are lots of traces of the "don't dress" fashions in these formal evening clothes for Spring 1933. Sleeves, far from being a disgrace on an evening gown that is backless to the waist, are as smart as ever. Another kind of evening dress is made with the decolletage which covers up everything but a bit of the shoulders.

Woollen dresses are smart for formal evening wear, but they are always daringly low cut, and very long, to compensate for their daytime fabric.

Formal evening frocks this season almost invariably have long skirts, either to the toes, or trailing a little. Dinner dresses on the other hand, are mostly ankle, or instep length, no longer.

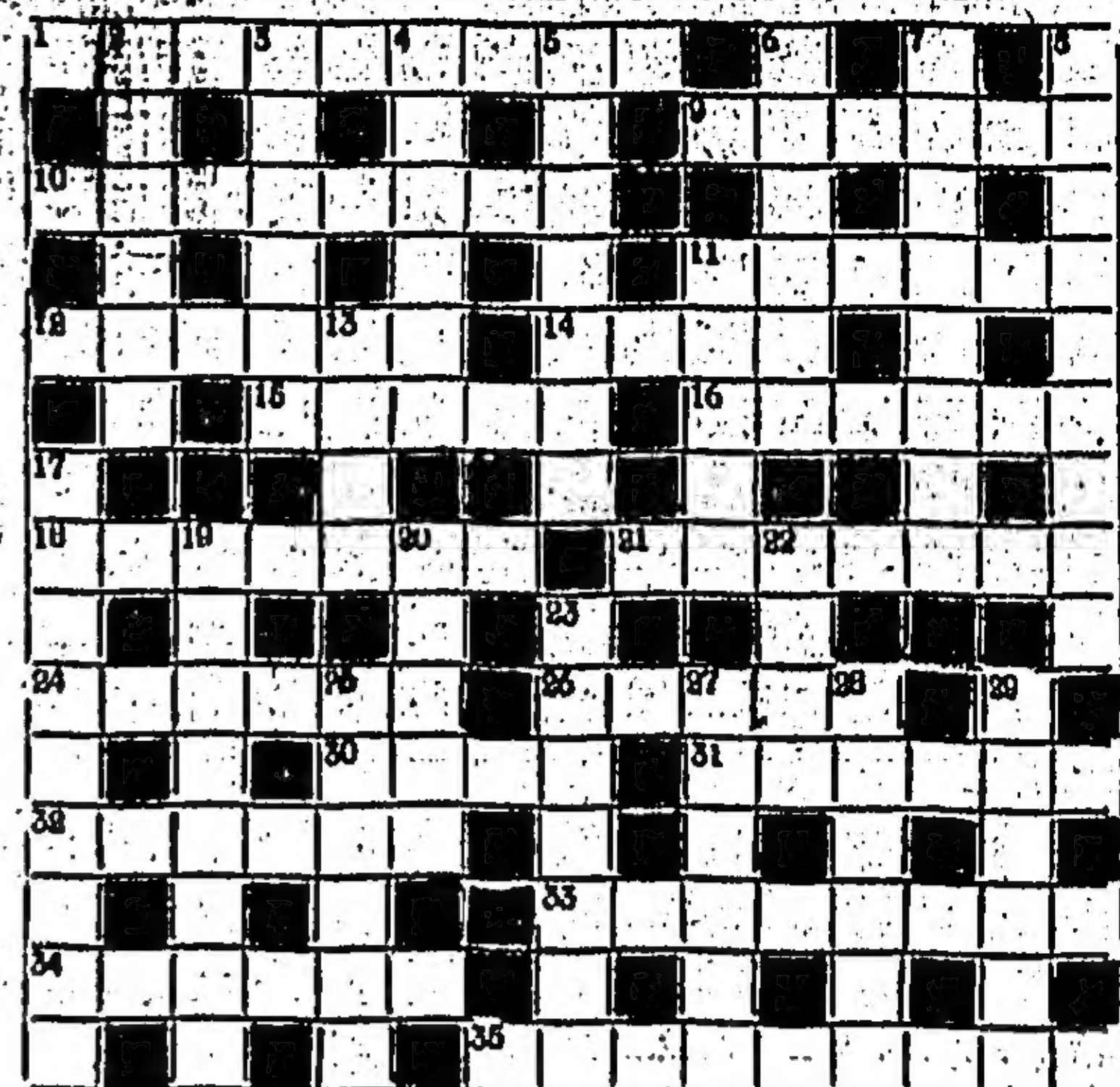
A feature of the evening mode is the addition of a voluminous scarf of chiffon or tulle tied round the neck by one end and fastened with a huge artificial rose, the long ends floating down the back.

Stitched Chic



White crocheted gloves and hat, in fancy novelty stitch, added an individual touch to a pale grey suit. White grosgrain ribbon bands the hat and a large mesh black nose-veil repeats the black of the suit buttons, purse and pumps.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



ACROSS

- 1 Is necessary twice to make a mental picture.
- 2 Sometimes applied to the palm to ensure a good return.
- 3 Faithful in character, containing a faithful character.
- 4 Divider who's never greedy, and his heart is always game.
- 5 Nail the French and collar the lot for the fisherman.
- 6 This doesn't matter a jot.
- 7 There's a snare in this.
- 8 Bury.
- 9 Rome, in contrition, suffers a setback.
- 10 Might describe a swimming contest—anyway, as moist as can be.
- 11 Crime.
- 12 Up to.
- 13 A feature to face, although we may disapprove to begin with.
- 14 A much-despised system of black magic.
- 15 Jewish priestly vestments of linen.
- 16 Laying by the hose—it won't be wanted in an average English summer?
- 17 Triumphs.
- 18 Was recognised by Louis XIV. as James III.

DOWN

- 2 Get in, or reverse the advertisement—for an attack.
- 3 If you're quick in this and take up a different position you'll be O.K.
- 4 Mashie. It would not be so hard with a different head.
- 5 There's not much give in such a nature.
- 6 "To care for him who shall have borne the battle, and for his widow, and his—" (Lincoln, "Second Inaugural Address").

- 7 I take my place in this old carriage in a divided role after a more modern vehicle.
- 8 A thorough rascal.
- 9 Well-known Jockey's Christian name.
- 10 You'll want your den to have a first-rate interior, won't you?
- 11 A musician.
- 12 Rum and sith. What a mixture to make merry on!
- 13 This cycle—known to the Babylonians—soars when given a twist.
- 14 Tea in Brazil for three.
- 15 Though you'll have to make a guess for it, this type of solver is not likely to be very successful.
- 16 Ends in church.
- 17 Part of the body.
- 18 There's no chance when we haven't got one (hyphen).
- 19 A vegetable overweight, for spring.

Yesterday's Solution.

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UNCOMMON OPEN F
LAPPING MANAGER
L R T L P T A I
EVEN SELAH OGRE
T S N C S T E D
INSTANT TREADS
N E N N R R O
CHANGE MAMMOTH
K A Y N A S V A
E A R S O L A M P L E S
E W S S A M E E S
P O I N T E R A B S O L V E
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PRACTICAL RECIPES GLORIFYING YOURSELF

A Good Cold Breakfast Dish

CURRENT ROLLS

Half a pound minced suet, 1 lb. currants not quite half a nutmeg, grated; 2 tablespoonfuls of milk (or cream), 2 beaten eggs, and enough fine breadcrumbs to form a thick paste.

Form into rolls the size of an egg, and fry in very hot fat, until browned all over.

Serve with sugar and lemon juice.

Dressing for Fruit Salad.

The juice of 3 lemons and of 2 oranges; ½ cup of sugar, 1 cupful of cream. Mix the juice of lemons and oranges; add sugar; boil until clear. Whip the cream, and stir it into the mixture. Allow it to get cool, and then pour it over the salad.

For Breakfast.

Mince 1 lb. each of raw lean beef and ham. Mix ½ lb. of bread-crumbs with the minced meat, and season with salt and pepper.

Stir in two beaten eggs, and form into a short, thick roll. Fasten it securely in a scalded and floured cloth, and boil for four hours.

This, when cold, makes a delicious cold breakfast dish.

By Alicia Hart

The first hot days should send you scurrying into a chemist's to stock up on the summer toilet articles that will make life easier.

You'll need a fresh supply of deodorants, perhaps. Look at the new little gadget, like a lipstick, that you use under your arms for perspiration. Look at the creams for the same purpose. And don't forget that there are several kinds of liquid deodorants that must be used according to directions and prove a grand boon when so done.

Bath powder is by now a necessity. But there are some new body powders that have a deodorant quality to them that should be on your shelf this summer. Also powder for your feet!

Cold showers in the mornings, after a salt rub, do a lot to down perspiration.

Cologne is a grand last touch under the arms. More effective than powder, really, and much cooler in summer. Also, give your hands a dash of nice lavender water or cologne and rub them together a little bit and see if you don't feel like going out to greet the world.

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SALESMAN SAM



SAM HAS BEEN OUT IN THE COUNTRY ALL DAY, HOGGING ALL THE PIGS HE COULD FIND FOR A BIG PORK SALE AT MAJOR'S GENERAL STORE. DOG-TIRED, WITH TIRED DOGS HE PUTS UP FOR THE NIGHT AT A FARMER'S HOUSE!

WHAT! NO ALARM CLOCK? I'LL HAVE TO SEE FARMER MILDEW ABOUT WAKING ME UP ON TIME!

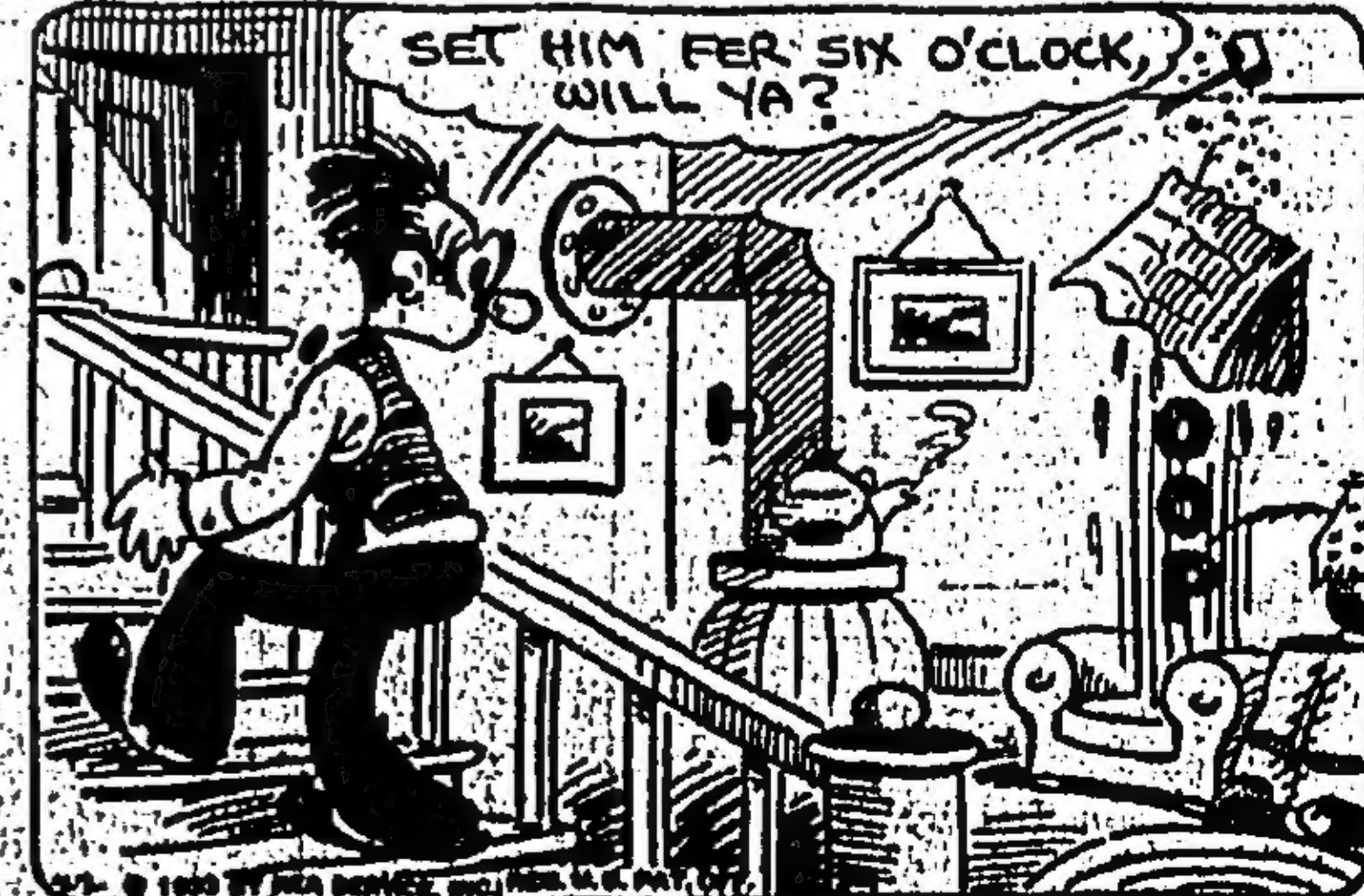
All Wound Up!



OH, DON'T WORRY ABOUT MAKIN' NEW TRAIN BACK TO TOWN, SAM! MY PET ROOSTER'LL GIT YA UP IN THE MORNIN'!

OKAY, MR. MILDEW.

By Small



SET HIM FER SIX O'CLOCK, WILL YA?

DARLING FOOL

by MABEL
McELLIOTT

BEIN HERE TO-DAY

MONNIE O'DARE, whose family has seen better days, works in Vernon's drug store and helps to support the family. She is in love with DAN CARDIGAN, son of wealthy parents. SANDRA LAWRENCE, pretending to be Monnie's friend, tries to win him from her. CHARLES EUSTACE, handsome newcomer, is friendly to Monnie but she thinks he is interested in KAT, her younger sister. BILL, Monnie's older brother, plans to marry ANGIE GILLEN as soon as her divorce is final. HETTY, a maid at Sandra Lawrence's home, suspects her of "vamping" JIMMY, the chauffeur.

CHAPTER XI.

Angie Gillen, yellow-haired, petite and windblown, put her hand on Bill O'Dare's shoulder. "Be nice, Bill," she begged. "Don't be that way!" He frowned at her. A tall young man with the dark eyes of the O'Dares, the crest of dark bronzed hair, he was good to look upon. He had discarded the blue jeans of his daytime calling for a neat dark gray suit. His white shirt and polka-dotted tie were correct even if he had not been able to eradicate the traces of grime from his fingernails. "You said," Bill reminded Angie, "It was all off between you and Stan. That he was going to see about the divorce," when he went up to Cleveland."

Angie made her reedy little voice sound plaintive. "I know I did," she lisped. "I meant it, too. But Stan hasn't got the money. It costs money to get a divorce."

Bill scowled, pushing the white china saltcellar back and forth across the shiny white table-top. Angie lifted a thick white cup and drank her coffee, without interest. It was hot. It was very hot. Files buzzed annoyingly

around the restaurant door. The heat of a June afternoon shimmered all about. Heat brooded over the street outside where one or two shabby cars were parked. "Let's get out of this dump," Bill muttered. "Let's get going."

Angie stared at him, affronted. "You were the one who wanted a bite to eat," she reminded him. "I didn't pick the place."

"I know, I know," Gruffly Bill demanded his check from the limp waitress. His strong jaw looked set as he paid it. The set of his shoulders was sullen. Angie, rousing her pouting mouth, pretended not to see.

They got into the rattletrap car she had driven into Belvedere the day of Bill's arrest a month ago. Angie put one ridiculously small foot on the starter. There was a clash of gears and the absurd vehicle chugged away in a cloud of dust.

"We should've taken a lunch and gone in swimming," Angie regretted, tooling her chariot along the road by the river. "We were saps not to think of it."

They passed the country club where two or three men in white linen with caps worn hindsidelongest played golf. Beyond lay the pool, red and blue caps bobbing on the surface. A tall girl in a pale green suit did a swan dive. Angie stopped the car. "Swell," she observed. "Wish I could do that!" She peered across through the heat haze. "That's the Lawrence girl," she observed with relish. "Let she brought that suit from Paris. She sure has swell clothes." Angie sounded envious. Bill wriggled uncomfortably.

"What's the matter? Don't you like it here?" Angie lifted an eyebrow in his direction. "It's nice and cool. Best place I've been to-day."

Bill was plainly out of sorts. He grunted, "Can't hang around here staring like kids outside a candy shop. People'll think we're crazy."

"Guess you don't like any of your friends to see you with me, that's what!" the girl said without rancor, starting the engine. Bill's laugh sounded faintly disagreeable. "My friends! At the country club? There's a laugh!"

Angie said, "My Aunt Mollie told me the other day your father ran with all the big bugs when he was young. Said by rights your family belonged with that crowd but you don't have the money. It's true, isn't it? Doesn't everybody think your sister's going to marry Dan Cardigan? And aren't the Cardigans just like John D. Rockefeller, pretty near?"

"Everybody round here's crazy," Bill barked. "Just because Monnie and Dan went to high school together—He left the sentence hanging."

"Guess they're pretty crazy about each other, just the same," Angie said coolly.

"This burg makes me sick," Bill O'Dare told her, lighting a cigarette. "You can't take a deep breath without having it in the town paper. Monnie's got lots of friends. Dan Cardigan's only one of them."

"Sure, I know. Give me one," Angie demanded, reaching over and taking the cigarette from his lax fingers. "Stingy!"

Bill looked at her, piquant profile. "You're cute, do you know it?" he demanded. "You're a lot better tempered than most of those girls in that country club gang, even though they—He pretended to cough. Angie laughed.

"Finish it, big boy. Say they think I'm dirt and something to wipe their feet on. It's no news to me."

"I didn't mean that," Bill said awkwardly.

Angie's laugh hadn't a trace of malice in it. "I know all about them," she said. "When they come into the shop they don't know I'm there. It's all right with me. I'm not sensitive. I wrap up their chocolate nougat and give them the fee just like they do me. Specially that Lawrence girl. She sure thinks she's the cats!"

"Why don't you like her?" Bill inquired idly.

Angie considered this. "I don't know—exactly," she said slowly. "Guess maybe it's because she's just a fake. What I mean, she butters everybody up and makes the person she's with think he's the cats, too. Then she gets her claws going and oh, kitty, kitty, she can scratch!"

"She's been friends with Monnie for some time. Monnie likes her—I guess," Bill said. "She must have a reason then," Angie decided. "Friend of mine works at their house. Maybe I mentioned her—"

Bill winced. He was no snob but it was a little galling occasionally to realize that the girl he loved and whom he intended to marry consorted with the servants of the people he'd once known as equals.

Angie caught the expression in the tail of her eye and realized instantly what it meant.

"You don't like that," she said shrewdly. "You don't like having me know Hetty Link who's the Lawrence girl's maid." "It's nothing to me," Bill assured her crossly. "It's none of my doggone business." "Well, she's a funny kid," Angie pursed. "She's got a case on

the Lawrences' chauffeur. Jim Hewitt—guess, you know him. She goes to the movies a lot and tries a Garbo on Jim. Jim doesn't know she's on earth, hardly. Now she's got some putty idea that the girl friend is trying to vamp Jim and she's all hot and bothered about it."

"You mean Sandra?" Bill asked incredulously.

Angie nodded. "Might not be far off," she said. "Jimmy's pretty swell looking in that trick suit with the brass buttons. Anyhow Hetty thinks he is and that makes it so. She's a one-idea girl. If Miss Lawrence is smart, she'll lay off. Hetty might go funny on them and it wouldn't be so good."

She interrupted herself to say swiftly, "Look, Bill, you better let me drop you by the station. Stan's coming over to-night to talk about things. Maybe we'll get something settled."

"You've known that all afternoon and you only just sprang it on me now," Bill accused, black as a thunder cloud. As Angie slowed the car he jumped out and stood beside her, very tall and grim and angry, above her white beret and flying yellow curls.

"Sure I did but you had such a grouch I didn't dare," she informed him with innocence. She was pretty in a candy-box way, this girl, with the starry eyes and preposterously plucked eyebrows. She had a gamin, elfin appeal in spite of the cheap gaiety of her outfit.

"All right," Bill growled. "If that's the way you feel about it. Nobody's going to twotime me and get away with it."

He lifted his hat. Without another word he strode away in the direction of the station. The afternoon train was just pulling in. As Angie watched he jumped casually aboard.

She sat there, a small, ingenuous looking creature in summer white, staring after him. Angie swallowed hard. Once. Twice. "Oh, Bill," she wailed under her breath. "Why did you do that?"

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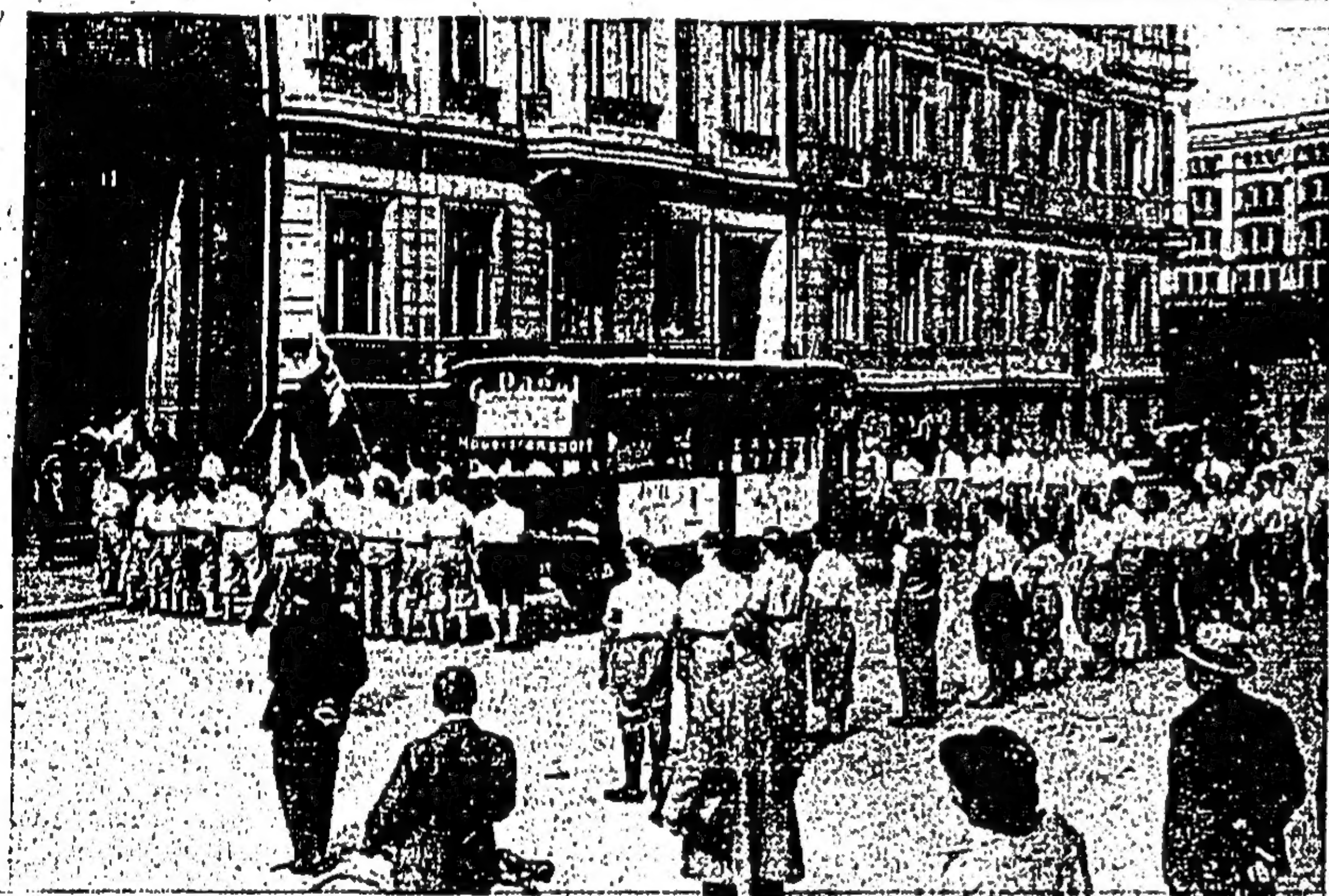
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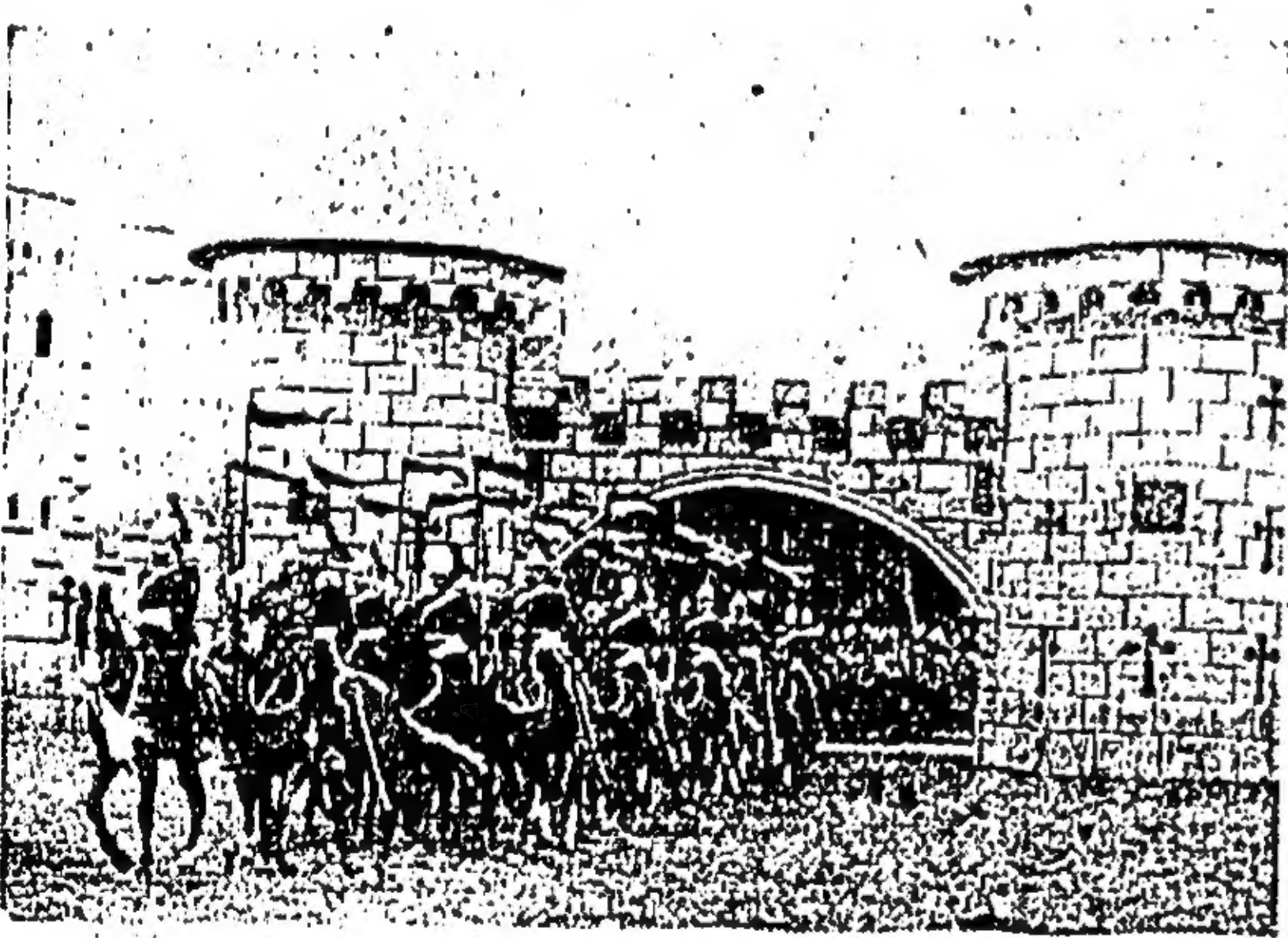
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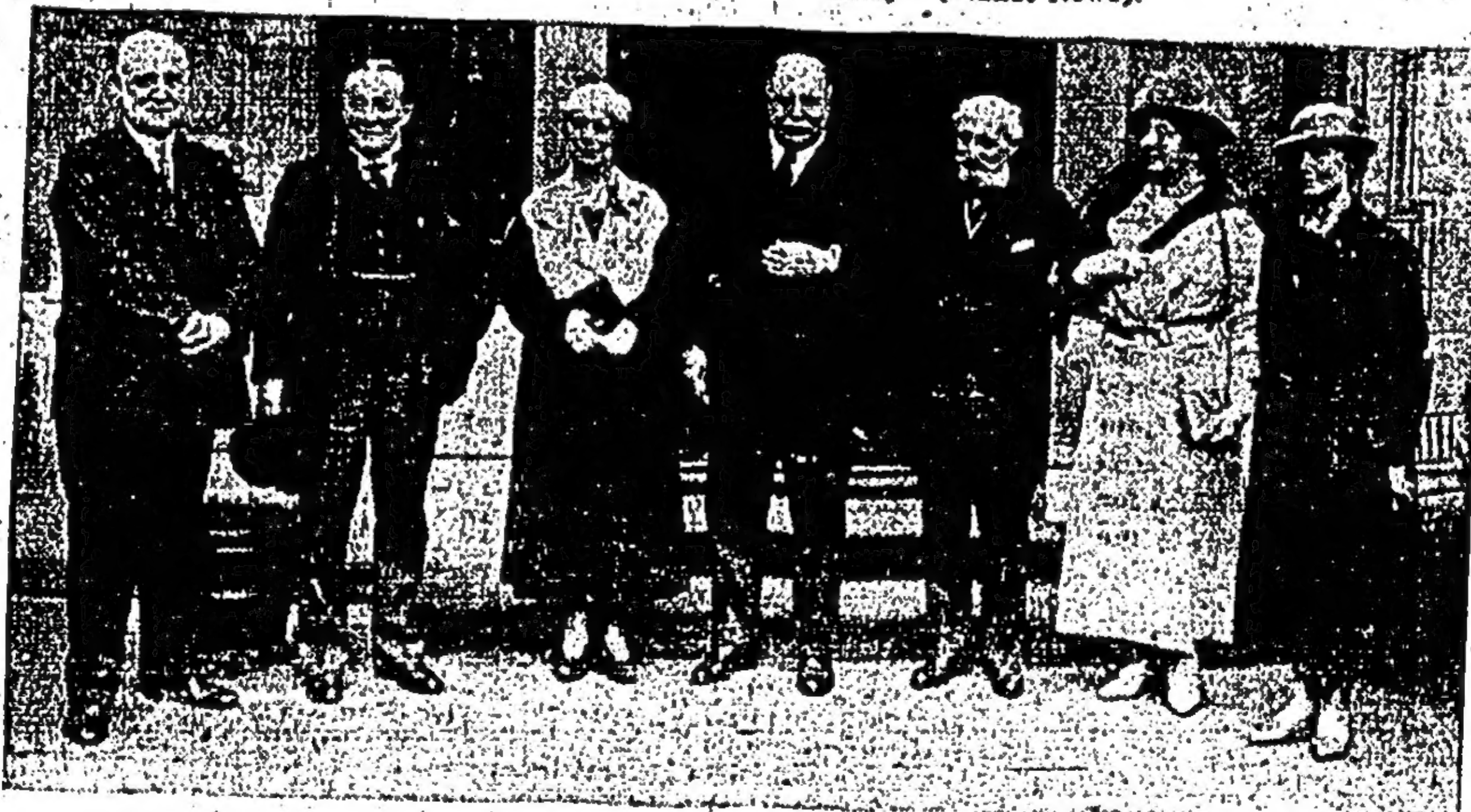
Nazi students carrying out "Un-German" books from the library of Professor Dr. Magnus Hirschfeld in Berlin in the course of the "Purge" operations against so-called immoral German literature. (Planet News).



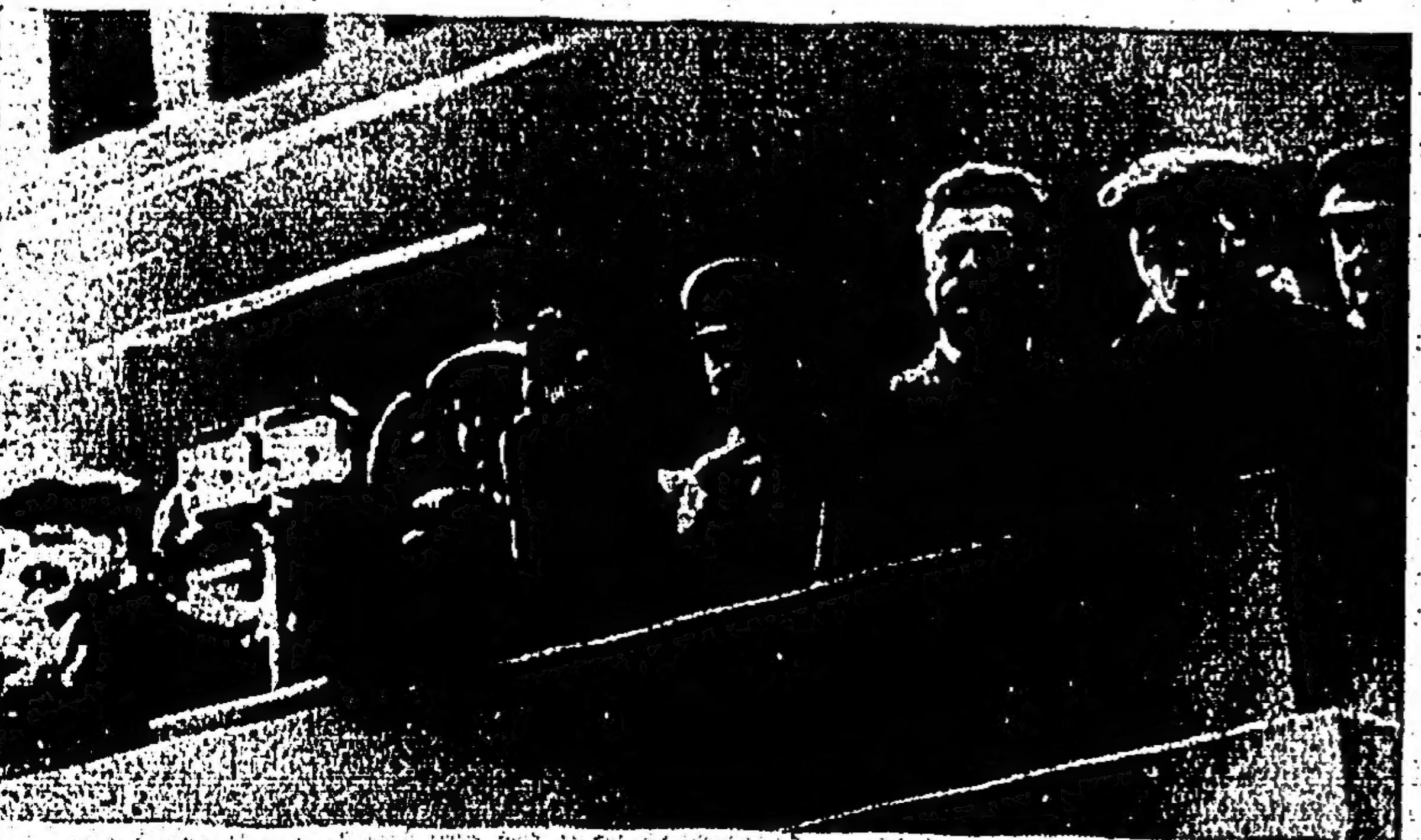
Reginald Turner, a 14 year old schoolboy, who saved the life of Dr. J. Littledale when his plane crashed at Charing, Kent, is here seen standing beside the wreckage of the machine from which he pulled the surgeon to safety. (Planet News).



Another picture taken at the rehearsal of the Aldershot Military Tattoo at the Rushmore Arena. The photograph shows the Lanciers in procession through the castle. (Planet News).



A reception was given by the United Associations of Great Britain and France in honours of M. de Fleurbaey, the retiring French Ambassador, and in the picture can be seen (left to right) Mr. George Lansbury, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Mmes. de Fleurbaey, Lord Derby, M. de Fleurbaey, Mrs. Baldwin and Miss Isabel Macdonald. (Planet News).



Stalin, the Russian dictator, allowed himself to be photographed in public for the first time for many years when he attended the military parade past Lenin's tomb during May Day Celebrations. Stalin is here seen in uniform in the centre of the group.



Business girls in the West End of London photographed performing a "backward bend" at their slimming class.

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LONDON STOCK
PRICES

MARKET QUIET

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuter. The market, apart from a firm exception the market is quiet.

June 17. June 20.

Chinese Bonds

4 1/2% Bonds 1938		
(Eng. Iss.)	£100	£100
4 1/2% Loan 1908	£83	£83
5% Loan 1912	£68	£69
5% Recorg. Loan		
1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£85	£85 1/2
5% Bonds 1925-47	£97 1/2	£97 1/2
5% Shai-Nanking		
Rly.	£35-40	£35-30
5% Tient-Pukow		
Rly.	£15-25	£15-25
5% Tient-Pukow		
Rly.	£12-22	£12-22
5% Shai-Hang-		
chow-Ningpo		
Rly.	£75-80	£75-80
5% Hukwang Rly.	£6-10	£6-10
5% Hukwang Rly.		
1911	£23-28 1/2	£27
5% Lung Taiing		
U. Hai Rly. 1913	£9-14	£9-14

Foreign Bonds and Banks

German 7%		
Internat. Loan		
1924	80	79 1/2
Japan 5% Sterling		
Loan 1907a	£80 1/2	£80 1/2
Japan 6% Sterling		
Loan 1924	£80	£80 1/2

Industrials & Breweries

Associated Elec.	17/3	17/3
Industries	105/7 1/2	105/-
Brit.-Amer. Tob.		
Chinese Eng. &		
Min.	33/9	35/-
J. & P. Coats	56/9	56/9
Courtaulds	33/4 1/2	33/7 1/2
Distillers	58/3	58/6
Dunlop Rubber	29/6	29/6
Eveready	27/-	27/-
General Elec.	42/-	41/9
Guinness	88/9	89/-
Impl. Chem. In-		
dustries	26/4 1/2	26/1 1/2
Impl. Tobacco	101/-	100/9
International Tea		
Stores	28/4 1/2	28/6
Internat. Nickel	20	21 1/4
Pinchin Johnson	29/6	29/6
Turner & Newall	29/6	29/3
Unilever	27/-	27/6

Miscellaneous

Anglo Dutch	14/3	14/6
Burma Corp.	14/-	13/10 1/2
Canadian Pacific		
Rly.	£18	£19 1/2
Gula Kalumpung	14/3	14/3
Rubber	12/6	12/4 1/2
Trepca Mines		
Langlangto		
Estates	28/-	27/3
London Tin	13/1 1/2	12/10 1/2
Rubber Trusts	18/9	19/3
Shai. Elec. Constr.	53/3	53/6
Van Ryn Deep	31/3	30/7 1/2

Oils

Anglo-Persian Oil	37/3	37/6
Burma Oil	67/6	68/1 1/2
Royal Dutch	£19 1/2	£19 1/2
Shell Trans &		
Trad.	47/6	48/9

COTTON, WHEAT
AND SILVERLATEST NEW YORK
QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchange for yesterday.

	Open	High	Low	Close
July	9.10-1.15	9.25-9.25		
October	9.38-9.43	9.50-9.51		
December	9.58-9.61	9.65-9.66		
January	9.60-9.67	9.70-9.71		
March	9.81-9.80	9.87-9.87		
May	9.92-9.92	10.02-10.02		
Spot		9.35		

Wheat

	Chicago	Winnipeg
July	76 1/2	66 1/2
September	78 1/2	68 1/2
October	80 1/2	70
December		

Silver

July	36.25
September	35.80
December	37.60

Total sales for the day—
3,000,000 ozs. 6,100,000 ozs.
(120 Contracts) (244 Contracts)

AN INCURSION INTO
PADDY'S MARKET

(Continued from Page 6.)

Intimately as we do, we were not a bit surprised when one day we were able to wrest out of it one of its most jealously-guarded secrets—the secret of what happens to policemen's boots after they are discarded—the hundreds of large-sized pairs periodically brought out for auction with other old police

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.

H'kong Bank, \$1760 aa.
H'kong Bank, London, £130 n.
Chartered Bank, £14 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B.
£24 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank C., £9 1/2 n.
East Asia, \$98 n.
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord., Sh. \$5.40 n.
China O. Fin. Prof. Sh. \$5.00 n.

Insurances.

Canton Ins., \$300 n.
Union Ins., \$580/35 aa.
China Underwriters, \$2.40 n.
China Fire, \$595 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$270 n.
International Assee, Sh. \$1.75 n.

Shipping.

Douglas, \$32.60 b.
H.K. Steamboats, \$18 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Prof.), \$30 b.
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), \$32 1/2 n.
Shells (Renner), \$48/0 n.
Union Waterboats, \$16 n.

Mining.

Benguets, \$38 n.
Kallans, 35/- n.
Langkats (Single), Sh. \$17 n.
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$2 1/2 n.
Shai Loans, Sh. \$5 n.
Rauha, \$10 n.
Venz, Goldfields, \$4 1/2 b.
Benguet Exp., 29 cts. b.

Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, \$128 n.
H.K. Docks, \$16 1/2 b. and aa.
S. China Motors A., \$10 n.
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.
Providents (old), \$3.95 b.
Providents (new), \$1.40 n.
Hongkwa, Sh. \$334 n.
New Engineerings, Sh. \$8 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$148 1/2 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. & S. Hotels, \$7.05 b.
H.K. Lands, \$76 1/2 b.
Shai Lands, Sh. \$32 1/2 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.
Humphreys, \$13.90 b.
H.K. Realities, \$8 n.
Asia Realities "A" Sh. \$140 n.
Asia Realities "B" Sh. \$20 n.
Chinese Estates \$97 n.
China Realities, Sh. \$14 1/2 n.
China Debentures Sh. \$137 n.

Cotton Mills.

Ewo Cottons Sh. \$14 1/2 b.
Shai Cottons, Sh. \$109 n.
Zong Sing, Sh. \$14 n.
Wing On Textiles (S) \$97 n.

Public Utilities.

Tramways, \$21.65 b.
Peak Trams, (old), \$15.85 1/2 aa.
Peak Trams, (new), \$7 1/4 n.
Star Ferries, \$92 b.
Yau-mat Ferries (old), 28 1/2 n.
China Lights (old), \$13 b.
China Lights, (new), \$12 1/2 n.
H.K. Electric, \$73 1/2 n.
Macao Electric, \$33 n.
Sandakan Lights, \$10 1/2 n.
Telephones (old), \$29.50 b.
China Buses, Sh. \$11 1/2 n.
Singapore Tractions, 1/- n.
Singapore Pref., 13/- n.

Industrials.

Malabar Sugars \$15 n.
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$20 n.
Cald: Macg. (Prof.), Sh. \$15 n.
Canton Ice, \$8 n.
Cements (Com.), \$7.55 b.
Cements (old), \$6.40 n.
Cements (new), 1 1/2 n.
H.K. Ropes, \$9 n.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$27 1/2 n.
Watsons, \$10 n.
Der A Wings, \$1 n.
Lane Crawfords, \$4.85 n.
Mackintoshs, \$21 n.
Sinceres, \$14 n.
Wm. Powells, \$2.10 n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$185 n.

Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$12 1/2 n.
H.K. Entertainments, \$12 1/2 n.
S.C. Enterprises, \$3 1/2 n.
United Theatres, Sh. \$3 n.
Macao "Greyhounds," \$10 n.
Constructions (old), \$4 n.
Constructions (new), \$1 n.
B. Ind. G. Bonds, 70% n.
H.K. Govt. Loans, 3 1/2% b. Prem.
Wallace Harpers, \$8 s.

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But a veil had best be drawn over the subsequent happenings.

NEW YORK STOCK
EXCHANGEYESTERDAY'S MARKET
STRONG

According to Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was strong yesterday. Earnings done: 5,280,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal reports:—The market scored widest advance since March 15th with gains ranging more than 10 points due to a sharp decline in delay in the World Economic Conference to agree to stabilization and also due to favourable business news, strong grain and cotton prices. Grains were strong owing to reports of damage to crops in the spring wheat belt and cotton prices advanced due to the Government's reduction plan.

Dow-Jones averages:

	June 17	June 19
30 Industrials	90.23	95.99
20 Railroads	41.67	44.73
20 Utilities	33.39	36.20
40 Bonds	84.18	84.55

Allied Chemical

Dye 112 1/2 117

Allis Chalmers 18 20 1/2

American Can 88 92

American & Foreign Power 14 1/2 17 1/2

Amer. & For. Pow. 33 1/2 37

American Metal 10 1/2 18 1/2

American Smelting 30 1/2 34 1/2

American Tel. & Tel. 125 1/2 131 1/2

American Tobacco "B" 85 1/2 80 1/2

American Waterworks 35 39 1/2

Anaconda Copper 14 1/2 16 1/2

Auturn Automobiles 58 1/2 65 1/2

Baltimore & Ohio 32 1/2 32 1/2

Bethlehem Steel 32 1/2 35 1/2

Borden Company 33 1/2 35 1/2

Borg Warner 17 18 1/2

Canadian Pacific Railway 14 1/2 16 1/2

Case, J.I. 75 1/2 84 1/2

Chase National Bank 30 31 1/2

Chesapeake Cor- poration 37 39 1/2

Chrysler 28 32

Columbia Gas & Electric 23 1/2 26 1/2

Consolidated Gas of New York 57 1/2 60 1/2

Corn Products 71 1/2 75 1/2

Douglas Aircraft 10 10 1/2

Drug Inc. 52 1/2 55 1/2

Du Pont de Nemours & Co. 72 77 1/2

Electric Bond & Share 37 38 1/2

General Electric 22 23 1/2

General Foods 35 1/2 36 1/2

General Motors 20 1/2 28 1/2

General Railway Signal 33 1/2 35 1/2

Gold Dust 21 1/2 23

Goodyear Tire & Rubber 33 35 1/2

International Harvester 32 1/2 34 1/2

International Nickel 16 1/2 18 1/2

International Tel. & Tel. 15 1/2 18 1/2

Johns Manville 18 1/2 20 1/2

Kennecott Copper 65 69 1/2

Lehman Corporation 89 93 1/2

Liggett & Myers "B" 21 22 1/2

Loew's Inc. 20 1/2 22 1/2

Lorillard P. 21 1/2 24 1/2

Montgomery Ward 33 35 1/2

National City Bank 30 1/2 39 1/2

New York Central 31 1/2 34

North American Co. 27 1/2 29 1/2

Pacific Gas & Electric 26 1/2 28 1/2

Pennsylvania Rail- road 13 1/2 14 1/2

Phillips Petroleum 51 1/2 53 1/2

Public Service of N.J. 43 44 1/2

Reynolds Tobacco "B" 7 8

Sears Roebuck 15 18

Shell Union 10 12

Simmons Company 10 12

Secny - Vacuum Corporation 17 1/2 20 1/2

Southern Cal. Edison 35 1/2 37 1/2

Standard Gas & Electric 21 1/2 23 1/2

Standard Oil Co. of N. J. 23 1/2 25 1/2

Texas Corporation 53 1/2 57 1/2

Texas Gulf Sulphur 45 1/2 47 1/2

Union Carbide & Carbon 42 1/2 44 1/2

Union Pacific 42 1/2 44 1/2

United Aircraft & Trans. 30 1/2 33 1/2

United Corporation 11 1/2 13 1/2

United Gas Im- provement 21 1/2 23

U.S. Rubber 12 1/2 14 1/2

U.S. Steel 53 1/2 57 1/2

Universal Leaf Tobacco 45 1/2 47 1/2

Wealthhouse E. & M. 42 1/2 44 1/2

Woolworth 42 1/2 44 1/2

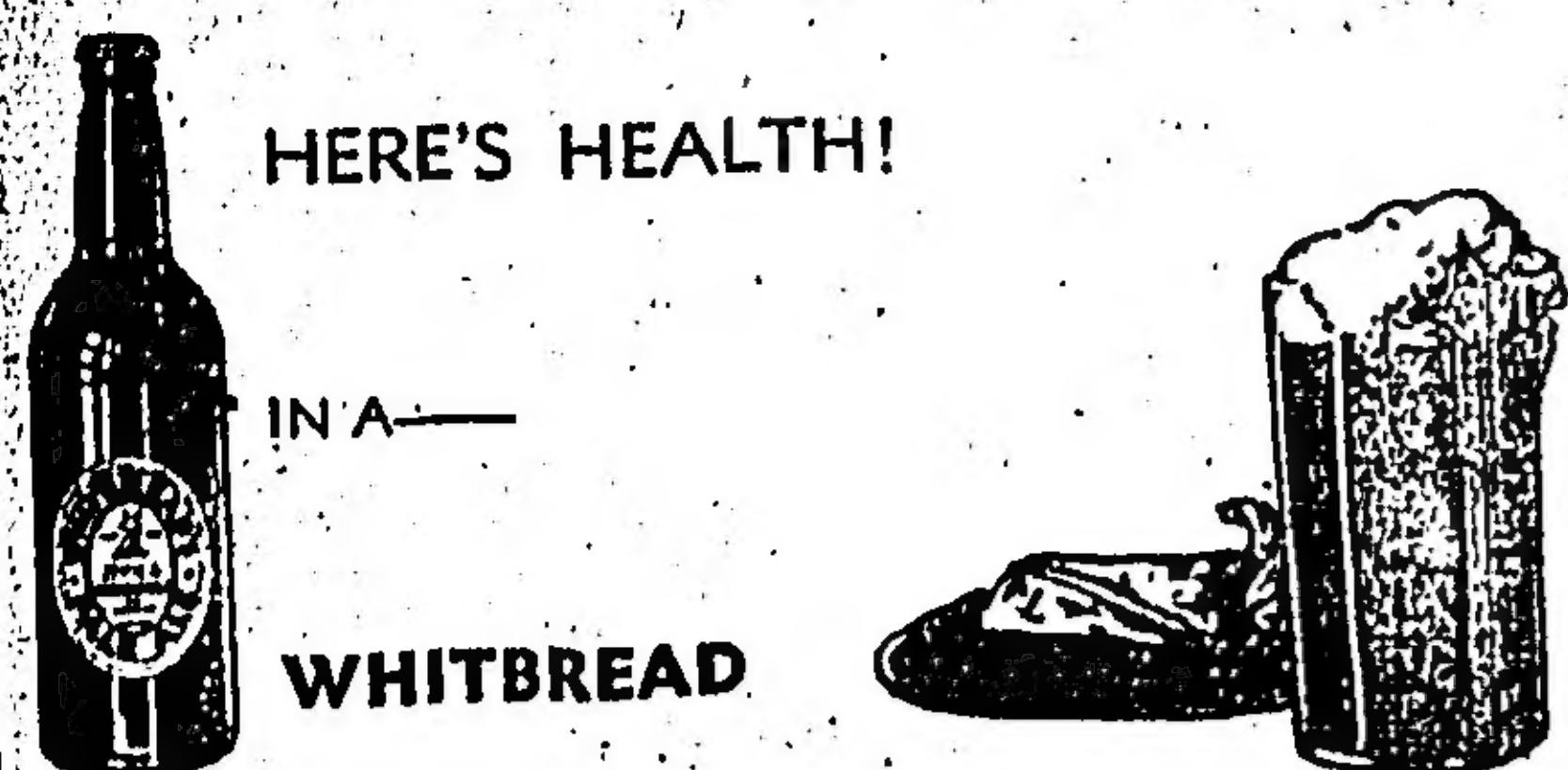
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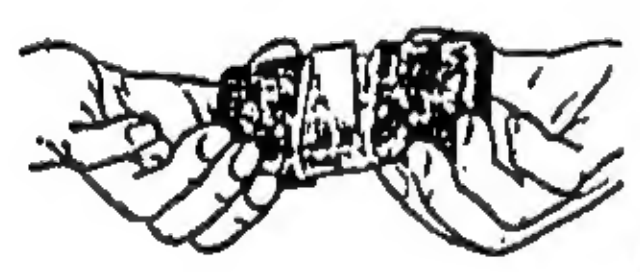
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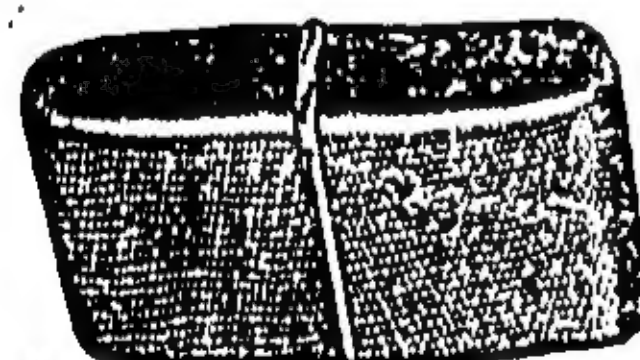
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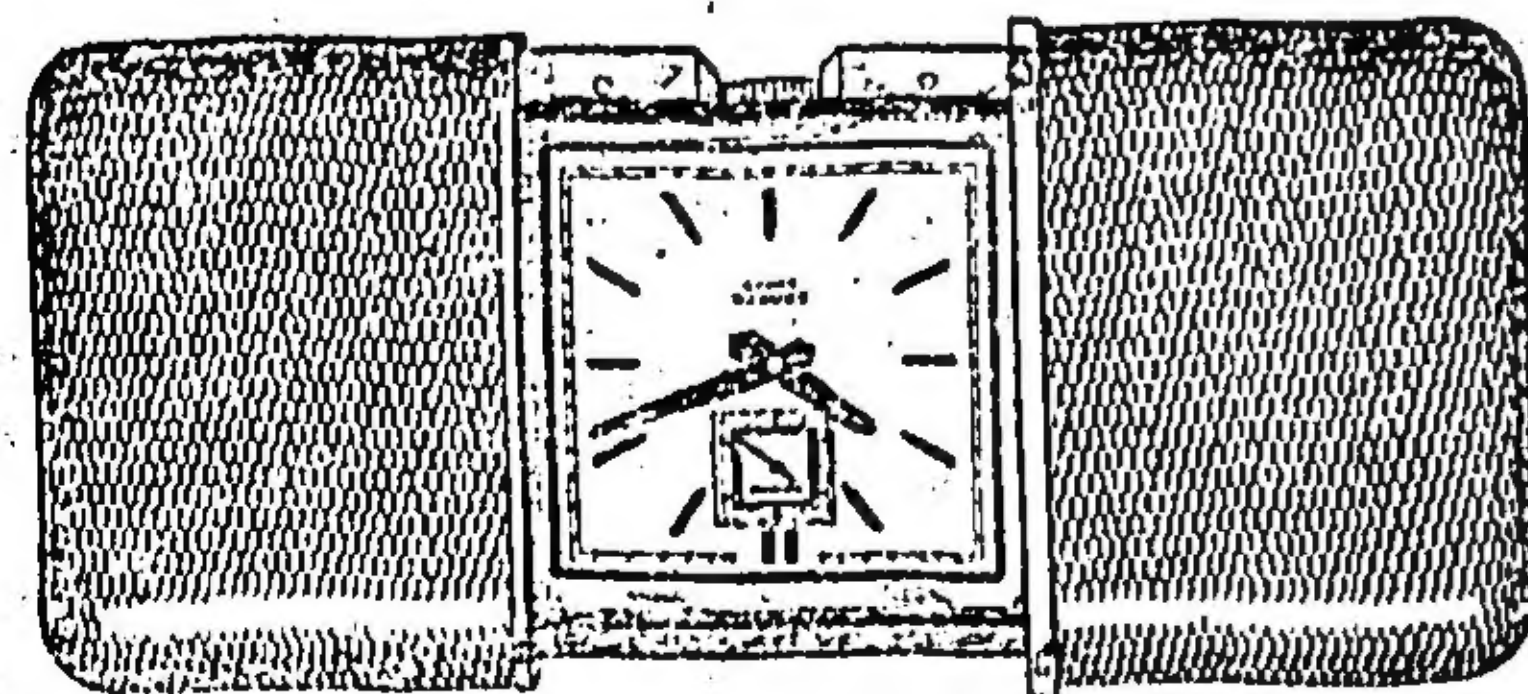
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STABILITY OF CURRENCIES

While the motives governing President Roosevelt's refusal to consider pegging the dollar are readily understood, the example set is far from good. It invites all other nations participating in the World Economic Conference to consider their own interests, wholly and solely. It stultifies Mr. Cordell Hull's programme of international cooperation. Behind the official statement issued in Washington, can be seen signs of a grim struggle now going on between the dollar and the pound. The United States appears to be bent upon achieving an exchange nearer the old parity rate of 4.86, while Britain's financial authorities are exploiting the exchange equalisation account to its full extent to prevent the pound from appreciating. No other explanation can be offered for the rapid climb of the pound last week to 4.18 and its descent by the week's end to round about 4.05. While such a currency war is going on, there is little hope for any real progress. Once again, it becomes obvious that those who have control of monetary policies in the leading nations of the world possess a mentality which is divorced from questions of human need. Once again, the need for an international currency becomes more urgent. The necessity of it could never clearly be seen while there remained a number of national currencies which, based on gold, could be regarded as fixed quantities. While it was possible to trade in money which had a known, dependable value, local fluctuations had only a relative importance. The Russian, the German, the Austrian debacles after the war were undoubtedly disastrous, but they could still be regarded as exceptional phenomena. The majority of the world's currencies were comparatively unaffected, and it was possible to take steps to restore some stability in most of the countries which had passed through a monetary crisis. But presently it was seen that that upheavals were becoming general. The French franc, the Italian lira and other currencies slumped badly, and there was a good deal of uncertainty before they were consolidated at a rate much lower than that which formerly prevailed. An unprecedented opportunity was

offered to speculators who took advantage of the irregularities of the monetary situation in various countries. Their action complicated conditions which were already sufficiently inimical to the normal conduct of commerce. There remained some of the principal moneys of the world as landmarks in the financial tempest. The pound was deemed secure and furnished a satisfactory measure. Then it, too, succumbed, complicating trade and adding to the sense of instability. It was still consoling to think the dollar safe. Finally the dollar was detached from its moorings, and though in the meantime other currencies had recovered their bearings, this completed the shattering of world confidence in currency stability. It is now that the theoretical advantages of an international money that will stay put are converted into definite and immediate practical advantages. The discussions of the economists have come into the realm of political possibilities. The time has come to ask what reason can be urged against the issue of a stated number of secured notes, indorsed by such a body as the Bank for International Settlements. These existing side by side with the national currencies, but independent of those national currencies, could be relied upon to keep their agreed value, and would constitute a permanent legal tender from country to country, thus satisfying the legitimate interests of international trade. The scheme, of course, implies that national currencies will be stabilised and will have a large domestic utility. But an international currency, based on the gold standard, would nevertheless possess an indispensable value in foreign exchanges of all kinds. It would restore a confidence which has been badly shattered, and it would facilitate the flow of goods and help in the revival of prosperity. The world is capable of producing everything which the world needs; but everywhere there are obstacles to the proper distribution of the world's goods. In this distribution few things would help more greatly in the right direction than the institution of an international currency.

Trade Dams on the Danube

Continued ineffectiveness of plans for commercial co-operation along the Danube, and the ever-mounting tariff walls which have almost stopped trade there and promoted the partial bankruptcy of eight states, lend particular attention to the celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the customs union among the Germanic states. In 1833, eighteen states with 28,000,000 inhabitants removed the bars from their customs frontiers—letting trade flow freely along all the natural highways. Thus was inaugurated an era of prosperity which the Germans had never before experienced. Previously there had been thirty-eight trade districts, each walled off from its neighbours. "Tariff bars there were as thick as telegraph poles are now." Along the Rhine from Strasbourg to Holland there were thirty customs houses. Boats had to stop at least once an hour, often crossing from one side of the river to the other. Travellers passed through ten states in going from Hamburg to Vienna. It took much time and constant efforts for wise leaders to bring all these independent states into a single economic unit. But when this was finally accomplished, the advantages of the unification were clear to all. It is plain now that the unprecedented crisis in central and southeast Europe is due in no small degree to the complete lack of economic unity existing here. State barriers have annihilated trade. Political ambitions have blocked economic forces. And all the nations are suffering from the resulting state of affairs. The most hopeful aspect appears to be that each new difficulty provides additional demonstration of the need of ultimate co-operation.

AN INCURSION INTO PADDY'S MARKET

A REVELATION OF HONGKONG'S GREATEST SPOOFERS.

By C. V. L. for the Telegraph

WE noticed the other day that a Hongkong clergyman while showing a newcomer "the sights" made a discovery as remarkable as it was fortuitous—he found in "Paddy's Market" a chased metal vase previously stolen from beside its twin on the Cathedral War Memorial pedestal.

Our own experience has tended to a state of mind where we find it impossible to view these denouements of the "Market" with any marked degree of surprise; and if sometimes in the future we are informed that the whole Memorial—foundations and all—has by some magic associated with an Arabian Nights tale been bodily transported to that quarter, we shall still refuse to be properly astonished.

"Render to Caesar the things which are Caesar's, and to God the things which are God's," and once the rights of ownership have been clearly readjusted in a spiritual light, as in this instance, it is suggested that we need not be shocked by some heathen souls having been led astray in Paddy's Market.

OUR TENDER RECOLLECTIONS.
Let it be stated rightaway that our recollections of Paddy's Market are of a character the most tender, and when we sometimes have occasion to reproach it for its indiscretions, in so far as forgetting itself as to appropriate things which are not its own, it is to speak to a spoiled child, with the spoiled child's aptitude for peccadilloes, but which in other and meritorious ways has found a settled place in our affections.

Who has, it is suggested, not known Paddy's Market and not understood it as it should be understood—a place where to pass an afternoon of endless bargaining in an atmosphere redolent of a variety of obnoxious odours, but promoting the best in the Oriental's fondness for discussing a bargain?

True, the subject of half-an-hour's talk and gesticulation may not have been worth the time and trouble from the point of view of its intrinsic value, but it is the liking on the one side for fooling, and an agreeable disposition on the other to be fooled (this for the sake of being entertained by a whole thesis expounded) which give this enjoyable zest not to be derived from other business transactions.

If time therefore is of no object, we should like to take you with us to-day for an incursion into this repository for the flotsam and jetsam of the Colony, and for other things as well which are not quite such but of which the origin, tact and the natural courtesy expected in all of us, preclude from discussion.

We have not yet lived down the memory of the pain and reproach in that dignified look of Ah Wong, leading Paddy's Market dealer, when in a moment of indiscretion we enquired where he got a Parker Duofold which had appeared to us to be so new.

WE ARE IN PADDY'S MARKET.
An astounding collection of old bottles, of discarded milk and biscuit tins, of battered pots and pans,

intrudes itself upon the attention from every hand, and gives the impression that the rag picker and the scrap-metal dealer (out here they expect and are courteously given the title of marine hawkers) have done their work only too thoroughly. But we need not be discouraged by these mundane things the Chinese housekeeper has deemed too good to be thrown away and for which a commercial value has been found. It is only in delving beneath an unprospecting exterior that we can find something of utility, if ever so slight, by which to be introduced into the mysteries of Paddy's Market.

Of course, as has been pointed out, we are not to commit that sin *pas se* so often perpetrated by the unexperienced—insisting on knowing what it is that is so sedulously preserved within the privacy of the cockloft, beneath the counter, or on the floor above, where the shopkeeper resides with his family. These things we usually don't do, because they are never done in the best of Paddy's Market business circles. Rather we are to understand we have not qualified to an unreserved confidence, and so for the present must confine our interest to the different knick-knacks on show in the main tray. These attain to a considerable range, and may include anything between the jack knife of all work, and a 15-jewel Tannes watch.

A FIRST DIFFICULTY.
Your first difficulty, if unexperienced in the matter of values, is encountered at the very outset. For the Tannes—surely a desirable acquisition for everybody—you are tentatively asked to say how much you think it is worth. In other words, how much would you be prepared to meet the shopkeeper on a bargain?

And it is from this very early stage that your respect for Paddy's Market and the people who run it, begins. Most people when caught on this embarrassing point—and the dealer's courteous air of expectancy absolutely precludes the idea, should we be so insincere as to entertain it, of backing out—would have blurted out a figure, and possibly live to rue his generosity. The quickness with which their offer is accepted and the article wrapped up give no time for reconsideration, and they leave with the sickly thought of having once again been done by Paddy's Market.

THE LURE OF UNCERTAINTY.
On the other hand it is this element of uncertainty, this determined varnish against a reputable set of bargainers, which gives Paddy's Market its greatest allure, even though we know it is not all gold which glitters and that the treasured article we have wrested from it as a "bargain" may turn out to be dross. They are truly wise who go there not so much as a prospective purchaser, but as one bent on exploring its fullest intricacies—the artifices of workmanship by which dilapidated articles are restored by the magic of varnish, wax or glue to an appearance of newness not allied with durability.

Knowing our Paddy's Market (Continued on Page 5.)

The Very Idea!

HONGKONG HISTORY.
By Edward Kelly, Hysterical.

A morning contemporary, we notice, has started a Historical Club in order to dig up some of the skeletons in the local cupboard.

We know lots about the secret history of Hongkong, so we are going to lend our assistance to this worthy object.

The origin of Hongkong is lost in antiquity. According to some writers the origin of Hongkong night life has also been lost in antiquity.

The first night out in Hongkong took place about a hundred years ago. Well do we remember the occasion. The original refreshment bar stood on the site now occupied by the Hongkong Hotel, with a number of original customers in the process of revolving original refreshments.

Those were the days before America became uncivilized, so there were no such things as cocktails or martinis. Instead they drank rum.

History does not record how much rum they had to drink before they got sozzled, but we have it on the best of authority from Pete Watkins, who was present as a child in arms, that he well remembers his great grandfather falling into the harbour and being fished out by a sampan, after a three day bout.

Another point of historical interest is the fact that, either in 1877 or 1878, there was an acute water shortage in Hongkong.

Plans were prepared for the construction of a dam at Shing Mun, and the newspapers of the day remarked that, with its completion, Hongkong would always have plenty of water.

In more recent history the most momentous period in Hongkong was when the dollar rose to six bob and the price of beer went down to fifty cents. There were celebrations throughout the land, and people flocked from all over China to Hongkong.

For the information of future historians we want to point out, before we end, that Edward Kelly arrived in Hongkong early in 1932.

It is a significant fact that, coinciding with the arrival of this celebrated journalist, an enormous fire-cracker display was staged by local Chinese residents.

In recording the incident, the local newspapers, mainly through jealousy, stated that the Chinese were celebrating their New Year.

OUR BID FOR THE 100.

Healthy people all like to think that they will carry off the first prize for longevity. They class their prospect of centenarianism as what they vulgarly call a "dead cert." They have only to sit down and wait till it comes along. So, in their folly, these poor creatures think.

But what, as our political friends say, are the facts? The facts are these; that the healthy ones almost always fall by the way, as a result of presuming too much on their physical fitness, whereas the serried ranks of sturdy centenarians are composed almost exclusively of chronic invalids whose lives had been given up by the doctors and by expectant relatives at least a dozen times, and who, according to all laws of health and reason, should have perished at birth.

Conscious of their duty to posterity, they preferred to hang on life, and we challenge the health fiends to name a single great man who did not belong to this category. The plain truth is that greatness and good health are incompatible. This much being proved, the folly of fresh air, hiking, sun-baths, morning jinks, pneumonia blouses, and other health fads of the day will be apparent to all. Eat, drink and be merry if you want to live to a hundred.

THE IRISH WAY.

We like the action of the Irish Judge who, the other day, on being informed by the foreman of the jury that its verdict was one of "Not guilty," thereupon expressed his contempt for the good men and true and gave the prisoner a smart sentence.

Irish politics may not be worth emulating, but it seems to us that there is a good deal to be said for Irish justice. Here the fallacy prevails that if you haul a handful of middle-aged citizens, much against their will, from their normal vocations and look them up in a wooden box, where some may contrive to keep awake and others may surrender to sweet somnolence, you will get at the truth of a case and the law will be vindicated.



"Can't you do something, Mamma? Every time I have a date, Dad starts selling him shares."

BOY ON RUNAWAY MOTOR-CYCLE STEERING FROM SIDE-CAR

A 13-years-old boy, Kenneth Noel Young, seated on his grandfather's lap in a sidecar, steered a riderless motor-cycle combination for more than a mile as it hurtled, with throttle set wide open, through the streets of Edmonton, N. recently.

Eventually it struck a kerb and overturned, grandfather and grandson being thrown out but escaping injury.

The boy's father, Mr. Alfred James Young, 37, of Loping-road, Edmonton, had been driving, but he was thrown off the saddle when the machine came into collision with a man on the North Circular Road. The man received fatal injuries, and Mr. Young was picked up suffering from concussion.

CHASED BY MOTORIST.

A remarkable scene followed the collision. A policeman on duty at the junction of Cambridge-road and the North Circular Road saw the combination flash by with no driver in the saddle, while the boy in the side-car was screaming out, "Help my father! Help my father!"

Behind the riderless combination followed a motor-car whose indignant driver thought he was chasing a motor-cyclist who had callously driven on after knocking somebody over.

The boy described his thrilling adventure to a reporter.

"Grandfather, father and I were riding down the North Circular-road when there was a jolt and father fell from the saddle. We swerved and struck the kerb, so I leaned over and got hold of the handle-bars and steered it straight.

COULD NOT STOP IT.

"After a time I tried to lift up the exhaust lever in an effort to stop the engine, but as I did that we swerved again, so I gave up the idea.

"When we got to the junction at Cambridge-road I was afraid we might hit some car coming over it, so I shouted 'Stop,' to the policeman on duty, and he pulled a car up as we went by.

"We then turned into Silver-street, and it was too dark to see where we were going. A few seconds later we hit the kerb and turned over, with the cycle beneath the sidecar.

"As soon as grandfather saw I was all right he went back to see what had happened to father. I had only ridden a fairly cycle before, and that was three years ago."

PUBLIC ENEMY NO. 1

25 YEARS A RACKETEER

New York, May 24.

"Waxy" Gordon, who was arrested yesterday in the Catskill Mountains, pleaded not guilty today to a charge of attempting to defraud the United States Government of income tax amounting to \$100,000. He was released on \$20,000 bail.

Although Gordon, who is known as New York's "Public Enemy No. 1," has been a racketeer for 25 years, he has the unique record of never having been shot at by his rivals. He confessed today that he came near death last month when his two assistants, Max Hassel and Max Greenberg, were murdered in an hotel in New Jersey.

Gordon said that when he heard the shooting he slipped away to safety.

It is alleged that he made in 1930 an income of more than \$300,000, and paid income tax on only \$2 10s.

This leading beer baron racketeer lives luxuriously. His city flat costs \$1,600 a year, and he has a summer home in New Jersey. Three motor-cars are always at his disposal. He is fond of good clothes and his suits cost \$20 each, his tailor being a man formerly patronised by Al Capone, who is in prison for income tax frauds.

FOOTBALL. NO 'REVOLT' OVER INSURANCE

F.A. Ready to Discuss the Matter

The Arsenal F.C. have taken a stand on the question of insurance by the F.A. of players chosen for international matches and tours abroad, but there is no question of revolt.

The Arsenal feel that clubs should be guaranteed against loss, through disablement, of players "borrowed" by the F.A. for big games, and they are confident that the F.A. will view the request as reasonable.

As for the F.A., their attitude was made clear when Sir Frederick Wall declared:

"While we do not wish clubs to take the line that they will not release their players, the Arsenal, or any other club, who desire to make representations to us for special insurance of their players, are free to do so."

"We are ready to discuss the matter with any club which is dissatisfied with the existing arrangements."

The whole matter, therefore, seems to be one for mutual discussion and agreement.

ARSENAL'S VIEW.

The Arsenal's view may be summed up as follows:

If a club loan a £10,000 player to the F.A. for a tour and the players are permanently disabled, the club are compelled to go into the transfer market to replace him. Surely, they argue, it is not unreasonable in such circumstances that the F.A. should compensate the club through insurance? Bagin and Haggood were each insured for £7,000 on the recent tour in Italy and Switzerland. Both players are valued a much higher figure by the Arsenal.

Present arrangements, reached in 1931, provide that a national association borrowing a player shall insure him against total disablement for not less than £2,000.

This has been the Arsenal's attitude ever since Maraden, of Sheffield Wednesday, received an injury in Germany which ended his career. His club received nothing for their loss as there was not then an agreement for insurance such as now exists.

To say that the international matches are endangered by the development is a gross exaggeration.

YESTERDAY'S TENNIS

(Continued from Page 8.)

good form and only conceded one set—this to the Rumjahn cousins, who were taken to ten games.

Tam Yee-fong and Tsui Yun-pui gave Cassumbhoy and Razack a shock by annexing a set from them, but Choa and George Lal could not get going and obtained but three games in three sets.

LEAGUE TABLE.

C.R.C.	"A"	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
C.R.C.	"A"	2	2	—	—	15	2	4
C.R.C.	"B"	1	1	—	—	9	0	2
H.K.C.C.		1	1	—	—	9	0	2
H.K.C.C.		2	1	—	—	9	8	2
Recreio		2	1	—	—	8	10	2
C.C.C.		2	—	—	—	2	6	12
S.C.A.A.	"B"	2	—	—	—	2	1	17
University		2	—	—	—	2	0	18

Results:
Indian R.C. v. Craigengower.
Playing at Sookunpo, the Indian R.C. defeated Craigengower by 6 sets to 3.

S. A. and H. D. Runjahn (I.R.C.) beat Tam Yee-fong and Tsui Yun-pui, 6-0; beat R. Choa and G. Lal, 6-1; beat J. W. Leonard and Y. Hachiuma, 6-4.
J. A. E. Cassumbhoy and I. M. A. Razack (I.R.C.) lost to Tsui and Tam, 4-6; beat Choa and Lal, 6-2; lost to Leonard and Hachiuma, 4-6.
A. R. Mima and F. D. Pereira (I.R.C.) beat Tam and Tsui, 6-4; beat Choa and Lal, 6-0; lost to Leonard and Hachiuma, 4-6.

Kowloon C.C. v. Recreio.
On the home courts, the Kowloon C.C. defeated the Club de Recreio by 7 sets to two.

E. C. Fincher and E. F. Fincher (K.C.C.) beat E. A. Noronha and J. J. Remedios, 6-2; beat A. V. Remedios and F. J. Remedios, 6-4; beat C. A. Barretto and G. A. Noronha, 6-2.
G. C. Burnett and S. A. Gray (K.C.C.) beat Noronha and Remedios, 6-2; lost to Remedios and Remedios, 6-0; beat Barretto and Noronha, 6-4.
A. E. P. Guest and W. Hyde (K.C.C.) beat Noronha and Remedios, 6-2; lost to Remedios and Remedios, 6-0; beat Barretto and Noronha, 7-5.

S.C.A.A. "B" v. C.R.C.
Visiting King's Park, the Chinese R.C. defeated the South China A.A. "B" by eight sets to one.

M. K. Lo and Yew Man-ka (C.R.C.) beat K. H. Chan and Y. F. Chow, 6-4; beat Y. W. Lee and C. T. Tao, 6-3; lost to Chan So and C. L. Tang, 6-7.

Ho Ka-lau and Tsui Wai-pui (C.R.C.) beat Chan and Chew, 6-3.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

MAKE NOT THEMSELVES THE JUDGES OF ANY MAN.—Longfellow.

S.C.A.A. FETE.

Popular Event Draws
Large Crowd.

KEEN COMPETITION.

The second aquatic fete of the South China Athletic Association was held at the Club swimming pavilion at North Point last night.

There were ten events, which brought out a very large number of competitors, and testified to the growing popularity which this form of sport and recreation has attained with the Chinese.

The second gala night proved to be as unqualified a success as the first. A crowd of over 2,000 of both sexes attended.

At the conclusion of the competitions, the prizes which were donated by the Chinese Departmental Store, Des Vaux Road Central, were given away by the Manager, Mr. Leung Ip Wing.

The Results.

Following are the results of the different events:

100 yards Men's Free Style (Open to members of H.K.I.A.S.A. 1st. Shek Kam-pui; 2nd, Chan Fook-sing; 3rd, Kwok Chun-hang.

Time: 72 secs.
100 yards Ladies' Free Style (Open to members of H.K.I.A.S.A. 1st. Yeung Sau-king; 2nd, Mrs. W. Schreuder; 3rd, Leung Wing-han.

Time: 87.2 secs.
Child-carrying Race (under 15 years of age): 1st, Yuen Chi-kwok; 2nd, Yuen Yuen-wai; 3rd, Yuen Cheung-wai; 4th, Yuen Chi-min.

Time: 3 min. 17 secs.
200 yards Men's Breast Stroke: 1st, Kwok Chun-hang; 2nd, Wong Time: 3 min. 17 secs.

Junior.

1st, Tse Kim-hung; 2nd, Li Ping-kwan; 3rd, Leung Yuen-hung. Time: 3 min. 34.2 secs.

Senior.

100 yards Ladies' Back Stroke: 1st, Yeung Sau-king; 2nd, Yeung Sau-chun; 3rd, Yuen Pui-han. Time: 1 min. 47.2 secs.

Junior.

1st, Leung Wing-kun; 2nd, Yuen Pui-cheung; 3rd, Mok Suk-koon. Time: 1 min. 50 secs.

50 yards two-men-with-three-legs, Race (By drawing): 1st, Leung Lai-sang—Kwok Chun-hang; 2nd, Wong Yui-pui—Leung Wai-sang.

60 yards Two-men-with-three-legs Race (By drawing): 1st, Leung Lai-sang—Kwok Chun-hang; 2nd, Wong Yui-pui—Leung Wai-sang; 3rd, Lau Hung-chui—Chau Sui-kam.

50 yards Two-ladies-with-three-legs (By drawing): 1st, Yuen Pui-cheung—Mok Suk-koon; 2nd, Yeung Sau-king—Leung Wing-kun; 3rd, Yeung Sau-king—Lee Shun-kam.

"A"—Yuen Pui-cheung; Lee Shun-kam; Mok Suk-koon.
Men's Aquatic Boxing (From members of S.C.A.A. Boxing Section) Fancy Dancing Exhibition.

NUVOLARI AGAIN.

Alfa Romeos' Success
In Grand Prix.

RILEY'S TRIUMPH.

Leman, June 19.
Nuvolari, ace of Italian motorists, driving an Alfa Romeo, won the 24-hour Grand Prix endurance race, covering 8144.038 kilometres non-stop.

Alfa Romeos also occupied second and third places.
The British Riley, which scored top marks (1,444) for the best performance, finished fourth, and the British cars Aston Martin, M. G. and Aston Martin filled fifth, sixth and seventh places respectively.

It was a thrilling race, Nuvolari winning after a neck and neck duel by only 200 metres, in which he established a new record, averaging 131 kilometres an hour.

Prince Nicholas of Roumania, driving a Duesenberg car, was unluckily disqualified for refuelling at the wrong pit.

An Alfa Romeo, driven by a French woman, Madame Siko, overturned and was burnt out. The driver escaped with only slight injuries.—*Reuter Special.*

beat Lee and Tao, 6-1; beat Chan and Tang, 6-2.
In Tak-cheuk and W. C. Hung (C.R.C.) beat Chan and Chew, 6-2; beat Lee and Tao, 6-4; beat Chan and Tang, 6-2.

"A" v. University.
At King's Park, South China A.A. "A" swamped the University by nine sets to nil.

W. H. Ho and W. T. Lee (S.C.A.A.) beat Y. K. Ng and M. C. Hung, 6-0; beat H. N. Lee and K. M. Lo, 6-4; beat Salvo and Mahan Singh, 6-3.

C. C. Luk and S. W. Wong (S.C.A.A.) beat Ng and Hung, 6-0; beat Lee and Lo, 6-2; beat Salvo and Singh, 6-0.

C. P. Ip and W. T. Lee (S.C.A.A.) beat Ng and Hung, 6-4; beat Lee and Lo, 6-2; beat Salvo and Singh, 6-3.

COVENT GARDEN THEATRE

ITS FATE STILL UNDECIDED

WAITING AN OFFER

There is an old song which runs "London Bridge is falling down, falling down, falling down."

For the last few seasons the world of opera has been paraphrasing that old song and singing, usually in a minor key, "Covent Garden is coming down, coming down, coming down."

But is it?

Nobody seems to be prepared to give a definite answer. Theoretically it is coming down. But the owners of the site have no spite against the venerable theatre. They are men of business. Until the order actually goes forth to the housebreakers they are open to a business proposition.

There are, of course, difficulties. The old theatre needs reconditioning, modernising. The very fabric is in need of first aid. And there are requirements of the authorities to be met. And new dressing-rooms are needed.

LARGE CAPITAL NEEDED.

All of which costs money. A great deal of money. Should any organisation, existing or formed ad hoc, consider the notion of applying for an eleventh-hour reprieve, it must include a large sum in its calculations. It must be prepared to recondition the theatre, and then pay an economic rent. Or Covent Garden will come down.

Some say this would not be altogether a bad thing. It is an un-economic theatre, with an auditorium which does not correspond to the needs of a present-day audience. But so long as it remains standing there is no chance of a theatre being built to meet those needs, so far as opera is concerned. The answer to any such proposal is always: "But there is Covent Garden."

What is most needed is a theatre with an auditorium large enough to accommodate a popular audience, convertible as required into a concert-hall. During nine months of the year it could house all our great orchestral concerts—Philharmonic, Courtland-Sargent, B.B.C., "Proms," L.S.O.—and for three months the international season of opera. Then the opera season would not have to bear the burden of the theatre for the entire year.

But if Covent Garden is coming down, what is to happen? Nobody knows; but there is no ground to despair about opera. There is more than one building that could be adapted to its needs. What about the Coliseum for instance?

FIERCE SHIPPING COMPETITION

FORCED BY FOREIGN COMPETITION

HIT BY DOLLAR

Fierce competition in Atlantic fares will take place between British and foreign shipping companies in October. It has been announced that the British lines have reduced the fares to the United States, the reductions to take place immediately.

The new fares affect all classes of accommodation and passengers will save from £5 16s. for minimum first-class accommodation to £1 16s. for third class in the smaller liners.

In conjunction with the United States Lines, which announced reductions this morning, the British companies have been forced to do this because of the recent fluctuations in the value of the dollar, on which all fares are based.

A few weeks ago the Cunard Company gave notice to the North Atlantic Passenger Conference that they intended withdrawing from certain agreements. They desired a reclassification of certain liners, so that their giant luxury vessels could compete fairly with newer but smaller boats providing equal accommodation at cheaper rates.

An attempt to reach agreement was made at the last meeting of the North Atlantic Conference, but a decision was deferred until the October meeting, when the tourist season would be over. Now the British companies have to run through the busy summer season on uneconomic fares, while their demand for some redress has been shelved.

RADIO BROADCAST

RELAY OF THE S.W.B.'S BAND

From Z. B. W., on wave length of 365 metres (84.5 k/c.).

4-5 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

5-6 p.m.
A relay of the Band of the 1st Batta. South Wales Borderers, conducted by Bandmaster J. L. Geeks, from the Military Hospital, Bowen Road, by courtesy of the Officer Commanding.

6-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

7-10.30 p.m. European programme of Victor records.

7 p.m. (Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.).

7.3-8 p.m. A Concert.

Song—Ever of These I'm Fondly Dreaming (Linsley-Hall).

Song—The Bells of St. Mary's (Furber-Adams).

Frances Alda (Soprano). 1170.

Piano Solo—Reflections on the Water (Debussy).

Piano Solo—Song of Love (Stojowski).

Ignace Jan Paderewski. 6033.

Song—June Brought the Roses (Stanley-Openshaw).

Song—When You and I Were Seventeen (Kahn-Rosoff).

John McCormack (Tenor). 1088.

Violin Solo—From the Land of the Sky-Blue Water (Cadmian-Kreisler).

Violin Solo—Alma Oe (Liliuokalani-Kreisler).

Fritz Kreisler. 1116.

Vocal Duet—I Know a Bank Whereon the Wild Thyme Blows (Shakespeare-Horn).

Olivia Kline and Elsie Baker.

Vocal Duet—The Moon Has Risen'd Her Lamp Above (Benedict).

Royal Dalmatian and Lambert Murphy. 4085.

Piano Solo—The Enchanted Cathedral (Debussy).

Piano Solo—Malaguenia (Lecuona). Olga Samoroff. 7804.

Song—A Brown Bird Singing (Barrie-Haydn Wood).

Song—Mother, My Dear (Nolen-Toharney).

John McCormack (Tenor). 1137.

Violin Solo—Caprice Antique (Balogh-Kreisler).

Violin Solo—Legend of the Canyon (Cadmian).

Fritz Kreisler. 1093.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.3-8.50 p.m. Operatic.

Band—Cavalleria Rusticana—Selection (Mascagni).

Creator's Band. 35818.

Song—Il Trovatore—D'Amour Sull' Ali Rosea (Verdi).

Song—Aida—O Patria Mia (Verdi).

Song—Eva Turner. 12150.

Band—Pearl Fishery—Selection (Bizet, arr. Creator).

Creator's Band. 36001/36002.

Song—Aida—Heavenly Aida (Verdi).

Song—Bohème—Rudolph's Narrative (Puccini).

Giovanni Maritelli (Tenor). 6595.

Orchestral—Martha—Overture (Flotow).

Victor Symphony Orch. 33916.

8.50-9.40 p.m. Variety.

Duet for Two Pianos—Dance of the Paper Dolls.

Duet for Two Pianos—Ragamuffin.

Victor Arden and Phil Ohman. 21920.

Vocal Gems—"Blackbirds of 1923."

Orchestra—St. Louis Blues.

Warren Mill's Blue Sorenaders. 35902.

Organ Solo—Maria my Own.

Organ Solo—Silbony.

Organ Solo—Crawford. 22748.

Vocal Duet—If I Had a Girl Like You.

Vocal Duet—Keep Your Skirts Down Mary Ann.

Aileen Stanley and Billy Murray. 10795.

Orchestral—The Gang Song.

Orchestral—Gosh Darn!

George Olsen and His Music. 22094.

Banjo Solo—St. Louis Blues.

Banjo Solo—Doll Dance.

Eddie Peabody. 20608.

Song—You Try Somebody Else.

Song—Call me Darling.

Russ Columbo (Baritone). 22861.

Orchestral—Deep in Your Eyes.

Orchestral—When the Sun Goes Down on a Little Prairie Town.

Wayne King and His Orch. 22980.

9.40-10.27 p.m. Orchestral.

Orchestral—Orpheus Ballet—Dance of the Sphix (Gluck-Mott).

Detroit Symphony Orch. 6834.

Afternoon of a Faun (Debussy).

Philadelphia Symphony Orch. 6060.

Academic Festival Overture (Brahms).

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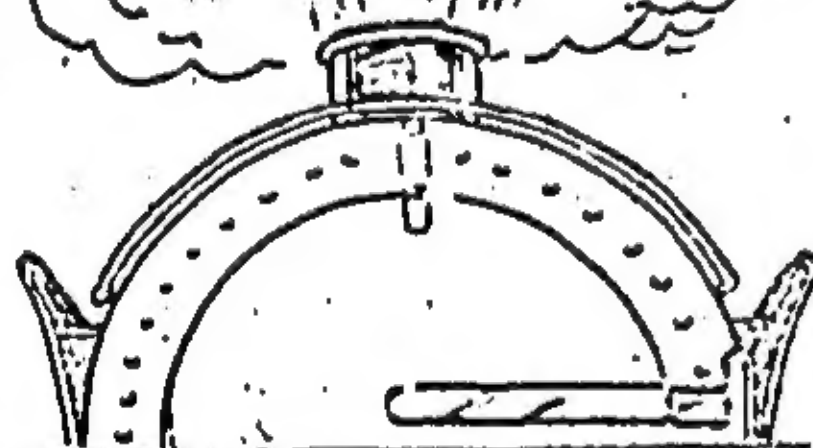
DANCING NIGHTLY.

KING'S THEATRE

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ROME
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STRAGGLERSLOCAL CRICKETERS HOLD
THEIR OWN13 RUNS IN ARREARS ON THE
FIRST INNINGSBRILLIANT BOWLING
BY BECK

(Our Own Correspondent).

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London, June 19.

THE representative Hongkong cricket team, composed of local players on Home leave, began their June tour of the West to-day, when they met Somerset Stragglers in a two-day match.

At the close of the first day's play, Hongkong were 13 in arrears on the first innings, making a score of 157 in reply to the Stragglers' 170.

The match is being played on the Somerset county ground at Taunton.

A. C. Beck of the Hongkong Cricket Club, and prominent interpreter, together with F. S. W. Smith, the K.C.C. batsman, and D. J. N. Anderson of the University, carried off the honours of the day so far as the visitors were concerned. Beck bowled brilliantly after the Stragglers had placed 60 on the board without loss, and finally returned an analysis of 8 for 53.

Coming quickly off the pitch, the Hongkong fast bowler demolished the Somerset men, and after the lunch interval, the whole of the team was dismissed for an additional 110 runs.

BAD START. J. E. Richardson and D.J.N. Anderson opened the Hongkong innings, but the Civil Service batsman was quickly sent back after scoring a single.

A useful partnership between Anderson and E.J.R. Mitchell, the Hongkong Cricket Club and Inter-port captain, and skipper of the touring side, saw the total improved.

Mitchell left after contributing a useful 18. A.C. Beck came along with a steady ten runs, but Frank Lawrence of the K.C.C. failed, being

dismissed for a single. After this F.S.W. Smith fairly collared the attack hitting brilliantly all round the wicket to score 57 before being sent back.

E. V. Reed was the only player to register a "duck", and small contributions by B. D. Evans, E. W. Hamilton, C.E.R. Clarabut and G. Hamilton helped the total along to 157, thirteen short of the Stragglers' aggregate.

SCORE. The individual scores of the Hongkong team were: J.E. Richardson (C.S.C.C.) 1, D.J.N. Anderson (University) 48, E.J.R. Mitchell (H.K.C.C.) 18, A. C. Beck (H.K.C.C.) 10, F. E. Lawrence (K.C.C.) 1, F.S.W. Smith (K.C.C.) 57, E. V. Reed (C.S.C.C.) 0, B. D. Evans (C.S.C.C.) 0, E. W. Hamilton (C.S.C.C.) 3, G.E.R. Clarabut (University) 7, G. Hamilton 3, Extras 6. Total 157.

The match will be continued to-day, and the rest of the programme is as follows:

June 22 v South Devon at Newton Abbot
June 26 v Men O Mendip at Wells
June 28 and 29 v Devon Dumps on Exeter county ground
June 30 v Sidmouth at Sidmouth

FOR BOWLS TITLE—Six of yesterday's competitors in the second round of the lawn bowls championship. Top (left) G. E. Roylance (with wood) and J. F. McGowan; T. Hard and A. F. Paul; below, N. J. Bebbington and A. W. Grimmitt. (Photos: Ming Yuen).

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LATEST RESULTS

A. W. Grimmitt, J. F. McGowan, R. P. Phillips (Civil Service C.C.) and A. F. Paul (Hongkong Electric) were winners in the second round of the lawn bowls singles championship yesterday.

Grimmitt accounted for Bebbington far easier than was generally expected. He went to his points when Bebbington was still on the five mark. Grimmitt played steady bowls throughout and always had a better shot for Bebbington's best.

Phillips did well to beat his club-mate Armstrong, although only five points separated the contestants at the close. Phillips produced his most telling shots at the right time and succeeded in holding on to a valuable lead.

The third success of the day for Civil Service was obtained by McGowan, who overcame G. E. Roylance of the Bowling Green Club. Although McGowan won 21-12 the contest was keen and several splendid heads featured the game. A. F. Paul of the Electric played reliable and consistent bowls to beat T. Hard by five shots.

RESULTS.

A. W. Grimmitt beat N. J. Bebbington 21-5
R. P. Phillips beat T. Armstrong 21-16
J. F. McGowan beat G. E. Roylance 21-12
A. F. Paul beat T. Hard 21-16

TO-DAY'S MATCHES.

R. Hall v A. S. Gomers
R. Ellis v J. C. Brown
(K.C.C. Green)
A. Hyde-Lay v L. E. Lammert
(Police Green)
A. M. Holland v J. S. Logan
(R.H.G.C. Green)LAST OF SECOND
ROUND TIESCOMPLETE LIST
OF MATCHES

The following is the complete list of games to be played in the second round of the open singles lawn bowls championship:

JUNE 22.

F. L. Rapley v E. C. Fincher
(Recreio Green)

JUNE 23.

J. Purvis v F. V. Field
A. E. Coates v T. Ferguson
(Police Green)
D. Rumjahn v U. M. Omar
W. Wotherpoon v T. V. Ramsay
(Craigengower Green)

JUNE 27.

J. Cavanagh v E. M. Remedios
(Bowling Green Club)

JUNE 28.

R. Bass v H. Gittens
J. F. Lunny v H. Hampton
(Police Green)
E. G. Searle v N. Drummond
J. Watson v L. R. Rono
(Craigengower Green)

JUNE 29.

S. Eccleshall v V. C. Labrum
(Police Green)

The Hon. Secretary of the Lawn Bowls League reminds clubs that the second round of the Spay Roy Cup must be completed by July 20.

J. Satoh (Japan) beat J. Crawford 3-6, 6-3, 6-1, 1-6, 6-2.

England v Czechoslovakia at Eastbourne.

G. P. Hughes and F. J. Perry (Gt. Britain) beat R. Menzel and Marsalek 6-3, 6-4, 6-4.

JAPAN WIN
LAST TWO
RUBBERSNUNOI & SATOH
IN FORMGREAT BRITAIN
IN FINAL

Paris, June 19. Australia to-day had reason to be thankful that they snatched their Davis Cup victory against Japan in the first three rubbers, for in the final matches to-day, both McGrath and Crawford fell victims to Nunoi and Satoh respectively.

England qualified to meet Australia in the Zone final with the greatest of ease, when Hughes and Perry beat Menzel and Marsalek 6-3, 6-4, 6-4.

This was third and deciding rubber, but it is more than possible that England will win the remaining two matches to enjoy a clean sweep as did their opponents against Greece in the semi-final.

SUPERLATIVE.

Nunoi, who was first on the card to-day, played superlative tennis to beat Vivian McGrath. He made himself virtually safe by taking the first two sets at 6-4, 6-4, and undevoured to wipe off the stigma of his reverse against Crawford with a straight sets win. But McGrath took the set along to the fourteenth game and then broke through to win.

Nunoi refused to lose grip, although McGrath continued to show improvement. The fourth set went to twelve games, the Japanese hiding his time before breaking through to win in great style.

Satoh entered upon his task of overcoming Crawford with grim earnestness. Crawford is at present playing the finest tennis of his career, but Satoh, after dropping the first set, came into his own and annexed the succeeding two.

Easing up for the fourth, he lost it at 6-1, and then returned with renewed vigour to capture the deciding set at 6-2.

Both men played great tennis, and by her victories to-day, Japan succeeded in a measure to re-justify herself in the International tennis field.

LATEST SCORES.

The latest scores as cabled by Reuters are:

Australia v Japan—At Paris. R. Nunoi (Japan) beat V. McGrath 6-4, 6-4, 6-8, 7-5.

YESTERDAY'S TENNIS

C.R.C., I.R.C., K.C.C., AND
S. CHINA WIN WITH EASE

YEW MAN KIT BACK AGAIN

(By "Veritas")

With the exception of the Hongkong Cricket Club v C.R.C. "B" match, called off owing to the Club round being closed, a full programme of matches was played in the "A" Division on the tennis league yesterday, the results working out in accordance with expectations.

South China, playing two home matches, were successful in one, but hopelessly outplayed in the other. The K.C.C. and I.R.C. scored comfortable victories.

TO-DAY'S TENNIS.

The following programme is arranged for "K.C.C." Division teams in the tennis league this afternoon.

I.R.C. v C.R.C.
—at Sookunpoo
University v C.S.C.C.
—at Pokfulam
S.C.A.A. v K.C.C.
—at King's Park
Recreio v H.K.C.C.
Graduates v U.S.R.C.

The Chinese Recreation Club champions team were without the services of M. W. Lo, but Yew Man-kit, who before the start of the season, announced his retirement from league tennis, came in to partner M. K. Lo, and the pair won two out of three sets. The South China second string were completely outclassed, Ho Ka-lau and Tsui Wai-pui, together with W. C. Hung and Chiu Chun-chiu winning all three sets.

On the other hand, South China "A," who created a sensation by defeating the I.R.C. in the first match of the season, gave a further illustration of their potentialities when they overwhelmed the University to win by nine clear sets.

With the Indians having already dropped a couple of points, it would appear that the championship will depend on the result of the game between the C.R.C. and South China first strings.

RECREIO'S BRAVE SHOW.

The Club de Recreio had to include C.A. Noronha, a "B" Division player in the team against the K.C.C., but the home team were vastly superior and won with ease. The Fincher brothers, having overcome A.V. and F. J. Remedios, the Portuguese strongest pair, in the first round, found nothing to stop them and they carried off three sets.

The Remedios partnership, however, played sufficiently well to take sets from Guest and Hyde and Burnett and Gray. A. V. Remedios was dazzling overhead and also drove very powerfully, whilst F. J. Remedios with a service which puzzled, and a strong volley, gave splendid support.

C. A. Barretto played delightful tennis with G. A. Noronha, a former "C" Division player, but the combination lacked steadiness at crucial times and were too inclined to attempt to knock the cover off the ball.

If the match can be taken as any true criterion, it would seem that the K.C.C. have now discovered a team, capable at least of holding their own.

The Burnett-Gray combination, of product of the selectors' search for a third pair, gave quite a promising display and worked together with understanding.

C.C.C. IMPROVE.

Craigengower gave a much better account of themselves at Sookunpoo than their display against the Recreio a fortnight ago suggested possible.

Howard and Hachiuma struck (Continued on Page 7.)

SUZANNE LENGLEN WANTS
£10,000 TO PLAYNO CHANCE OF MATCH WITH
MRS. WILLS MOODY

Paris, May 25. "I shall be willing to play Mrs. Helen Wills Moody a lawn tennis match, but on my own terms. They are money terms, and I must make a fortune out of it."

This statement was made by Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen at the French Lawn Tennis Championships to-day, where she was an animated spectator.

The first intimation she had that a match had been suggested between her and the famous United States champion, Mrs. Wills Moody, was when asked whether she intended to play or not.

"But you know it cannot be," she said, "for now I am a professional, and the rules do not permit an amateur and a professional to play each other except with the consent of the Lawn Tennis Federation."

"Suppose," she was asked, "such sanction were given, would you then be willing to play this match?" She paused for a moment, and then said she would.

"I HAVE HAD ENOUGH."

"It would have to be for heaps of money, though—something worth my while," she said, "for why, otherwise, should I play Mrs. Wills Moody? She would have all to gain and nothing to lose, and besides, I do not want to play any more match tennis—I have had enough."

Whether anyone is willing to put up sufficient money for the match it cannot be said but it was found out from a member of the French Federation that the feeling is all against permission being given, even if it were sought.

Paris, May 26. Frenchmen to-day were agreed that Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen is right in insisting upon "making a fortune" out of the suggested lawn

tennis match between Mrs. Helen Wills Moody, the United States champion, and herself.

SUZANNE'S RIGHT.

"It is Mlle. Lenglen's right to ask for a fortune, seeing that she has made the game her profession," said a French official, but he added: "I don't see any promise of the match taking place, as permission is not likely to be granted by the French Lawn Tennis Federation, and there is no one nowadays with enough money to spare for such a venture."

A French sports promoter said: "It is not for me to offer advice to other promoters, but I do strongly advise Mr. Joffe, the boxing promoter, to try to arrange the match. It would pay him as well as Mlle. Lenglen."

It is understood that if Mlle. Lenglen will accept £10,000 an arrangement might be made, providing, of course, that the French federation will permit the match.

HER DAY IS PAST.

Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen's offer caused considerable surprise in English lawn tennis circles.

"The suggestion is ridiculous," declared Mr. H. Roper Barrett, a council member of the Lawn Tennis Association, to a reporter, "it will never take place," he said. "There are too many factors against it. Besides, Suzanne's day is past."

"If they did meet, Mrs. Wills Moody would 'kock her head off'."

Mr. Roper Barrett added that if it were proposed to play the game in England, "such an event would be adequately covered by the rule which forbids an amateur to play a professional without written permission of the council." Actually, the proposal is the direct concern of the United States L.T.A. They have only to forbid Mrs. Wills Moody from playing and the match is dead.



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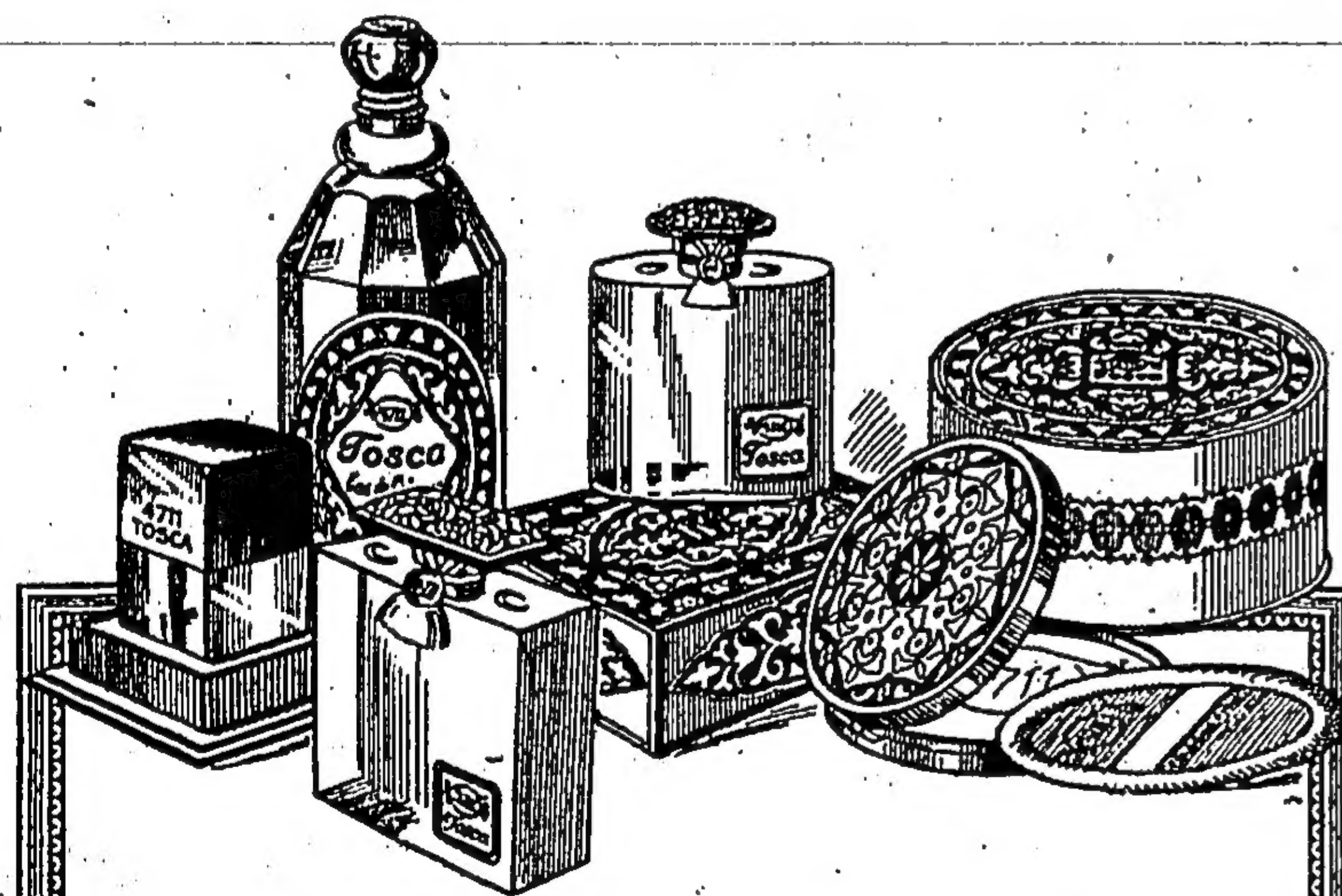
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Bournemouth, May 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burrows, the young honeymoon couple from Crediton, Devon, who rowed out to sea from Bournemouth in a small boat on Tuesday night, then vanished, and were picked up in the Channel last night, landed here to-day.

They looked weary as they stepped down the gangway of the coasting steamer Burrington Combe, which rescued them about two miles south of the Needles, Isle of Wight.

They had spent the night and day—26 hours in all—without food or water while their boat drifted helplessly in the Solent.

A private aeroplane, an R.A.F. seaplane, and motor-boats searched throughout yesterday for them. The two planes actually passed over them, Mr. and Mrs. Burrows frantically waving handkerchiefs in vain.

At nine o'clock last night their signals were seen from the Buddington Combe, and they were taken aboard. The couple were provided with stimulants and slept until the steamer reached here this morning.

HUSBAND'S TRIBUTE.

Mrs. Burrows' face was severely burnt by exposure to the weather. Her husband paid tribute to her fortitude when I saw him when they landed.

"Not once during the 26 hours did she lose her courage," he said. "She kept up my heart by her smile and her constant words of

encouragement, though she hadn't a crumb of food or a drop of water all the time."

Mrs. Burrows, turning to her husband, said: "You were the wonder, dear, I realised that it wouldn't be of the slightest use to become hysterical or show fright."

Then Mr. Burrows related the story of their adventure.

"When we set out in the boat we intended to be away an hour," he said. "After about half an hour, however, I stopped rowing to take up my camera, and one of the oars slipped out of the row-lock. I took hold of the other and used it for some minutes in fishing for the missing one."

"The tide ran strongly and soon carried the oar out of my reach. I was in a fright, but I tried not to show it and tried to keep the boat on an even course towards the shore by using the remaining oar."

"The tide gradually carried us towards the Isle of Wight, and as night fell we were tantalisingly near to land."

"In the hours that followed one of us would get a glimpse of the lights of a vessel, and on my wife's suggestion we tried to attract attention by burning matches and handkerchiefs and any oddments that we could spare. We threw burning cloth into the air and on to the water, but without avail."

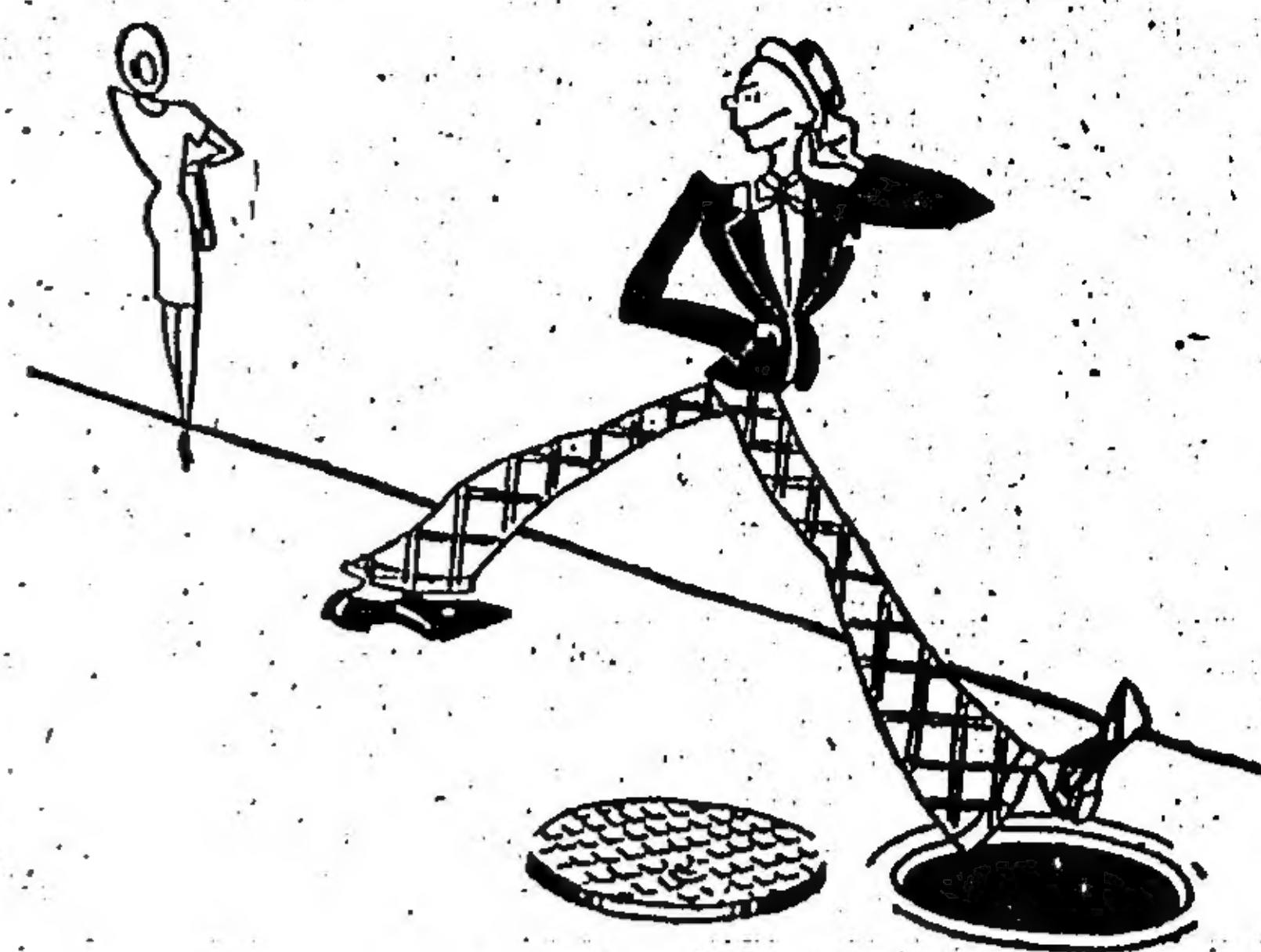
"As midnight and the early morning hours passed it grew cold, and we kept up our spirits by singing choruses together."

HEARD AEROPLANE.

"It seemed as though the night was never going to end. We had apparently been going round in a circle. Then we heard the noise of an aeroplane and we saw it coming towards us. It swooped down very close to our little boat, and we waved, but it did not appear to see us. After a few minutes it went away and we looked at each other almost with tears in our eyes."

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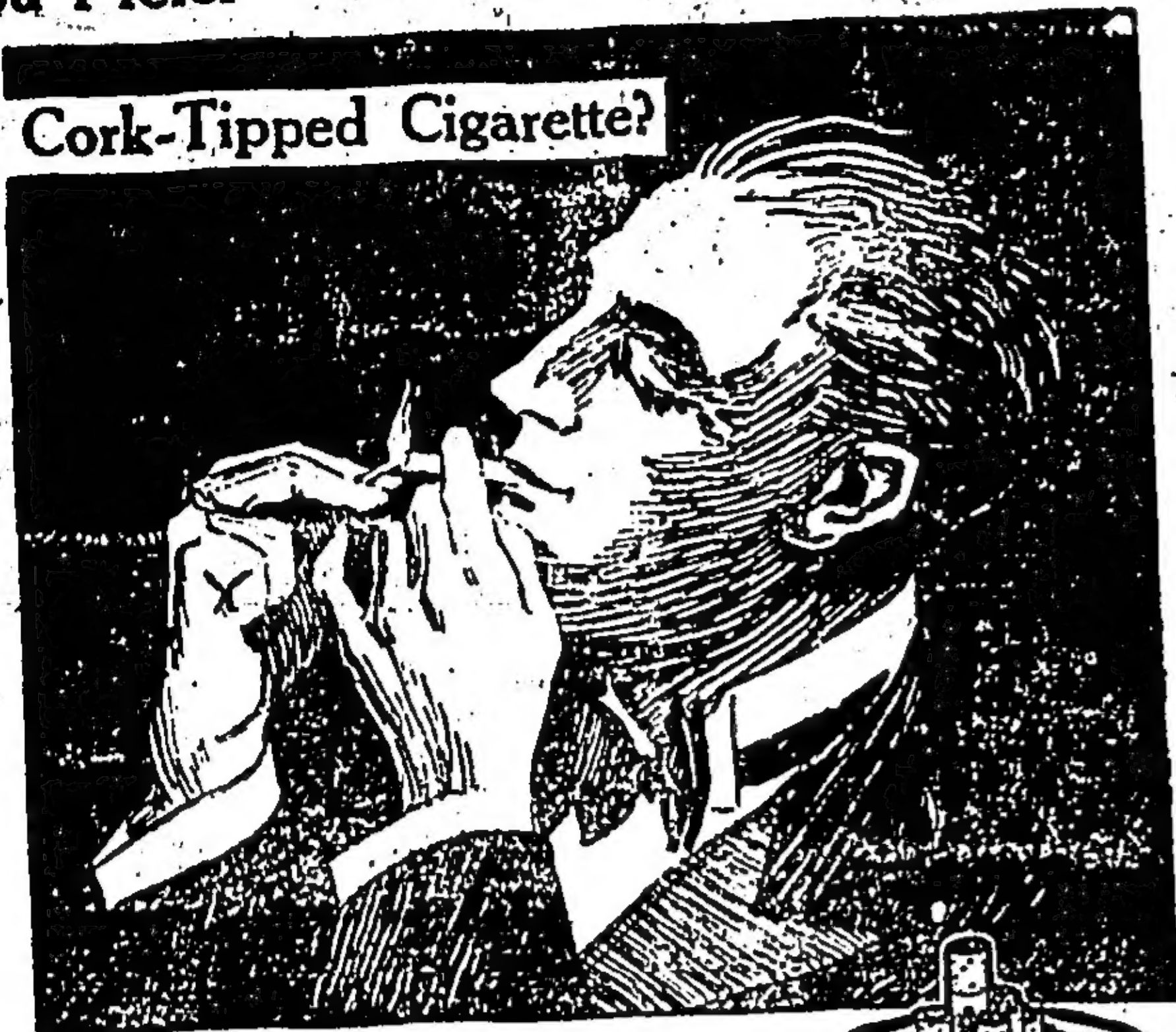
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"Tell Me To-night" certainly achieves the first duty of keeping romance alive in a world which has never run short of realism. It succeeds in creating the conditions of enchantment that are favourable to romance. There is a combination of beautiful music and glorious scenery, that brings to the picture theatre just that kind of entertainment that is intensely and quietly satisfying. Instead of thrill you get music and delightful comedy in "Tell Me To-night," a really attractive picture featuring Jan Kiepura, the Polish tenor, who in seven years has won a world-wide reputation. Sonnie Hale, Edmund Gwenn, Athene Seyler and Magda Schneider provide the sparkling fun.

"Clear All Wires."

"Clear All Wires," Broadway's biggest laugh hit, is on the screen at last. Lee Tracy heads a cast of film celebrities in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's talkie version of the play which is now at the Queen's Theatre.

Bolla and Samuel Spewack, authors of the riotous drama of a fast-talking newspaper correspondent who gets into a maze of comic complications in Europe, also wrote the screen adaptation in collaboration with Delmar Daves. Tracy plays the role of the irresponsible newspaperman who comes to Moscow, steers the chorus girl loved by the wealthy employer, tries to frame a shooting for a newspaper "scoop," gets himself shot and saves his comical life, then is arrested for the plot and falls into the tolls of the Russian secret police until a dramatic denouement saves him.

The role is said to be a made-to-order one for Tracy, who first won notice for his portrayal of a newspaper man in "The Front Page," on the stage and who has since followed this up with outstanding screen work in "Blessed Event," "Night Mayor" and "Love Is a Racket." The feminine lead is played by Benita Hume, English stage and screen star who makes her American debut in "Clear All Wires" but who will be remembered for her work opposite Leslie Howard in "Service for Ladies," an English picture.

"Broadway Bad"

Ginger Rogers, the fiery little redhead who plays Jean Blondell's worldly-wise girl friend in "Broadway Bad," was chosen recently as a Wampas Baby Star of 1933. Fourteen others of the film colony's most talented young actresses were similarly honoured.

Each year the Wampas, Hollywood's organization of publicity and advertising men, issues its selection of Baby Star. The players named are those the Wampas considers to have the most brilliant prospects for full-fledged stardom. Only young actresses who have demonstrated their abilities with outstanding performances in important pictures are considered in the balloting.

In "Broadway Bad," now at the King's Theatre, Miss Rogers is one of a cast including Ricardo Cortez, Adrienne Ames, Allen Vincent, Victor Jory and others in support of Jean Blondell in her characterization of a girl who makes the world pay for calling her bad.

"Fast Workers."

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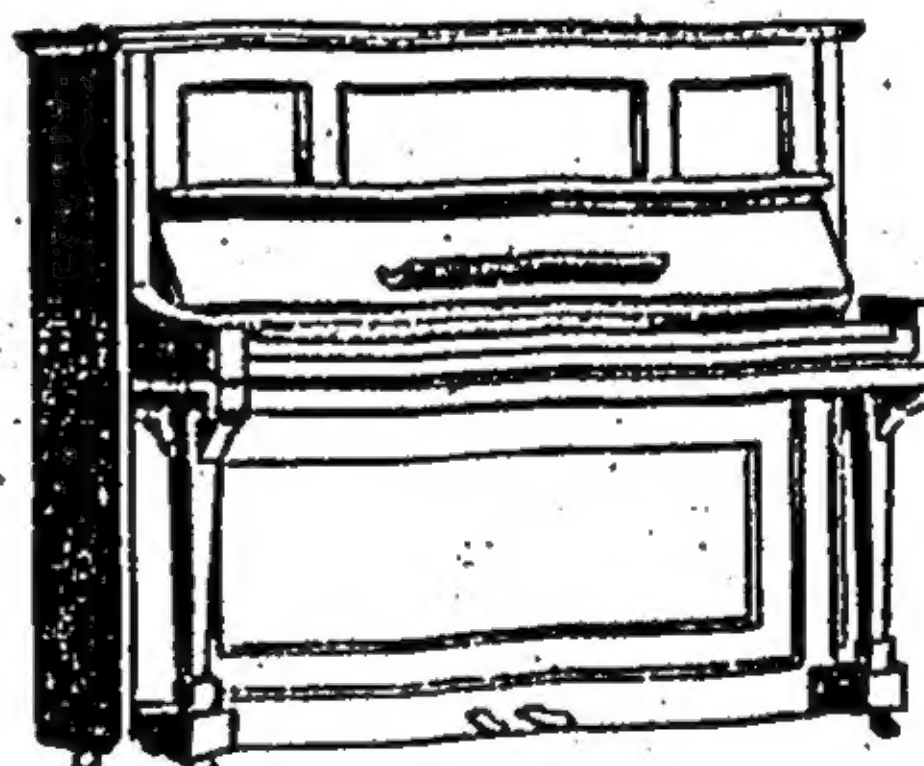
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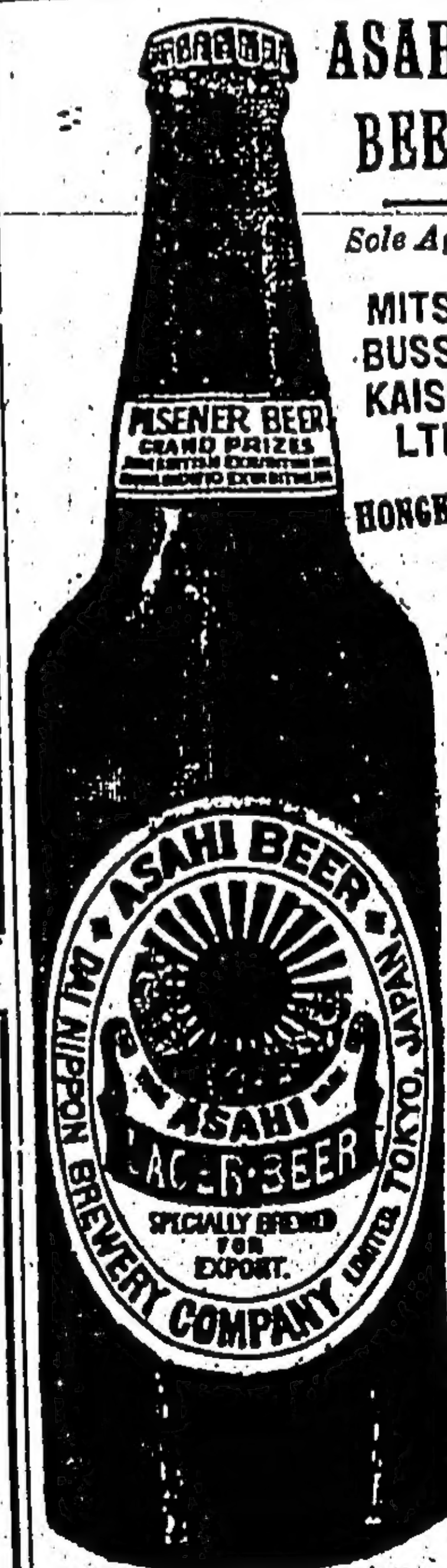
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LIFE SENTENCE FOR GUNMAN

GUILTY OF ATTEMPT TO MURDER

Sentence of life imprisonment was passed on Chan Hui alias Tin Kai-hi, who was found guilty at the Criminal Sessions yesterday of attempting to murder the proprietor of the Chinese Journal Tin Nam Yat Po by shooting at him at Lyndhurst Terrace on April 18.

In passing sentence, the Chief Justice, Mr. J. R. Wood, remarked that if the attempt had been successful, accused would have been found guilty of murder on the evidence that the court had heard.

His Lordship also publicly commended Mr. Ng Tak-wing, a well-known runner and footballer, for his capture of the accused after a long chase through the streets of the city.

Accused was charged with attempting to murder, wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm. He pleaded not guilty to all three charges.

The jury were, Messrs. L. Langdon, for the Crown, L. A. da Costa, G. L. Davidson, H. Dobernecker, E. E. Ganz, R. S. Johnson, and Young Yau.

Shots in Street.

Opening the case for the Crown, Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, said the scene of the shooting was outside 19, Lyndhurst Terrace, in which road Mr. Lo, L. S. C. 142, and Mr. Ng Tak-wing were walking separately. Mr. Lo suddenly heard a shot fired and felt an injury on his left shoulder, where it was later found the bullet had struck and glanced off.

Mr. Lo ran into No. 19, a shop on the other side of the road, where were three folks and two ladies. A second shot was fired and Lo and the folks concealed themselves in the shop. Three more shots were then heard, either just inside or outside the shop, and the assailant then threw down his weapon and ran.

Mr. Ng Tak-wing, the Sergeant, and Det-Inspector Chu Heung, who lived close by, pursued the man down Gage Street, Chuk Hing Lane, Gutzlaff Street, Wellington Street, Graham Street, Queen's Road, Peel Street, Wellington Street, and Staveley Street, where he was caught by Mr. Ng Tak-wing. The constable had stopped to pick up a jacket which the man discarded as he ran, and the detective had returned to the premises to search for the injured man. Accused was taken to the police station, and it was there found that he had a mark on his hand.

Experiments had been made with the weapon in the presence of the prisoner, and evidence would be given that firing it in the special position in which it had to be held, might leave a mark corresponding to that on prisoner's hand.

Tell-Tale Mark.

Evidence bearing out Mr. Fraser's statement was given by retired L.S.C. 142, (whose retirement took effect on the day of the shooting,) Detective Inspector Chu Heung, and Mr. Ng Tak-wing.

Mr. V. C. Branson, Government Analyst, gave evidence that the stain on accused's hand contained traces of lead, and Police Armourer J. E. Scott said he had fired the weapon with a glove and found that it left a mark on the glove in a similar position to the mark on Chan Hui's hand.

His Lordship addressing the jury said they merely had to decide whether the shot that struck Mr. Lo was fired by accused, and it seemed clear to his mind that this was the case.

After a short retirement the jury returned a verdict of "guilty," and the Chief Justice passed sentence as stated above.

PRETTY WEDDING.

DR. E. C. HUMPHREYS AND MISS I. L. OLDFIELD

A pretty wedding of particular interest was solemnized at the Registry Office on Saturday, when Miss Irene Lucille Oldfield, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Oldfield of Hongkong, became the bride of Dr. E. C. Humphreys, Dental Surgeon of Alexandra Building, Hongkong, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Humphreys, late of Messrs. J. D. Humphreys and Watson's, of Hongkong.

The bride wore a gown of pink organdie with hat to match, the bridal dress being the creation of "Lucille" of Gloucester Building. The bride's mother's dress was a green and fawn georgette ensemble.

The bride's father and mother and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hayward of Tregunter Mansions, May Road, were the witnesses.

A reception was later held in the Jacobean Room of the Hongkong Hotel where about 100 guests drank the toast of the happy couple, who later left for Fanling, where the honeymoon is being spent.

The bride's going-away dress was of blue and white spot crepe de chine with white organdie sleeves, white hat, shoes and bag.

COUNCIL MEETING.

NEW BILL TO AMEND OPIUM LAW

Four Bills of a formal nature, read a first time at the last meeting of the Legislative Council, and a new Bill relating to the purchase of opium, figure in the agenda for the next meeting of the Legislative Council to be held on Thursday.

Pursuant to notice, the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall will ask the following questions:

1. Is it a fact that on account of overcrowding in the prisons, the Government has sanctioned or contemplates sanctioning the release of certain prisoners before the expiration of their terms of imprisonment?

2. Will the Government furnish this Council with comparative figures for the month of May 1932 and 1933, showing:

(1) The number of prisoners serving terms in Victoria Gaol and the Lai-chih-ko Prison respectively.
(2) The number of prisoners serving terms for:

(a) hawking offences, and
(b) other minor offences.
(3) The number of juvenile prisoners, if any.

3. If the comparison reveals an increase in the present number of prisoners, to what cause or causes does the Government attribute such an increase?

Bills Before Council.

The four Bills to be read a second time are: (1) A Bill to further amend the Supreme Court Ordinance, 1873; (2) A Bill for the further amendment of the Code of Ordinance, 1897; (3) A Bill to amend further the Probates Ordinance, 1897; (4) A Bill to make provision for the redemption of the bonds issued under the authority of the Public Works Loan Ordinance, 1927.

The Attorney General (Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster) will move the first reading of a Bill to amend the law relating to opium.

The objects and reasons for the new Bill are stated as follows:

Under Article 6 of the Agreement concerning the manufacture of the internal trade in, and the use of prepared opium, which was signed at Geneva on the 11th February, 1925, His Majesty's Government undertook to prohibit the purchase and sale of dross except when the dross is sold to the monopoly.

Section 13 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1932 as amended by section 4 of Ordinance No. 36 of 1932 did not expressly enact this prohibition and apparently authorised sales by the superintendent; though in fact no such sales have ever been made or proposed. Section 2 of this amending Ordinance therefore repeals section 13 and substitutes a re-drafted section.

Opium Dross.

In the substituted sub-section the words "under section 10" are now and are added to make the sub-section conform with sub-section (2) which is a re-enactment of sub-section (2) of Ordinance No. 7 of 1932 as amended by section 3 of Ordinance No. 36 of 1932. Moreover the words "or any opium dross" at the end of the sub-section have been omitted in the substituted sub-section (1).

In the substituted sub-section (3) the words "or opium dross" which appeared in the sub-section added to the principal Ordinance by No. 36 of 1932, have been omitted.

Sub-section (4) is new and contains the prohibition required by Article 5 of the Agreement of the 11th February, 1925.

Section 3 of this amending ordinance adds a sub-section to section 15 of the principal Ordinance. The section already penalises the keepers of opium divans and the smokers therein. The added sub-section, which is drafted on the lines of section 11 of Ordinance No. 4 of 1897, brings within the scope of the section owners, occupiers and managers of premises who knowingly suffer them to be used as divans.

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Al. Baldwin's darkie numbers did not, in this reviewer's opinion, get the applause they deserved. His "Choo" was particularly well rendered, but apparently "A Shanty in Old Shanty Town" and "Oh, Death, Where is Thy Sting" were unknown to last night's audience.

Writer recommends the stage presentation, but regrets that he cannot do the same to the feature film, "Second Hand Wife," which is by no means Sally Eilers' best.

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EYES AFFECTED BY FLOODLIGHT

Pleading guilty through Mr. D. B. Evans to charges of dangerous driving, failing to stop and failing to report an accident, Mr. H. P. Bailey, of the General Electric Company of China, Ltd., was fined a total of \$350 by Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistrate's court yesterday afternoon.

On the charge of dangerous driving, Mr. Evans explained that Mr. Bailey had been in charge in the company's flood-light exhibit at the Empire Fair, which had a candle power of 750,000 to 1,000,000, and his eyes had become affected by attending to the light.

Mr. Schofield complimented Mrs. Vincent, who had rendered assistance to Mrs. Landau, the victim of the accident.

The charges arose out of an accident in Queen's Road, East of Murray Road, when Mrs. Landau, the wife of Mr. Adolphe Landau, the proprietor of Jimmy's Kitchen, was seriously injured, when defendant's car came into collision with the riksha in which she was travelling on the night of May 21.

Traffic-inspector C. F. Alexander prosecuted, and Mr. T. H. King, Deputy Inspector General of Police, was also present. Mr. C. D'Almeida watched in the interests of Mrs. Landau, while Mr. D. B. Evans was for the defence.

At the conclusion, Mr. Schofield remarked that he was not including sentences of imprisonment as he felt sure the explanation offered was a good one. He fined the defendant \$200 on the major charge; \$100 for failing to stop, and \$50 for failing to report an accident.

Pleas of Guilty.

At the commencement of the case Mr. Evans said: "I am going to plead guilty on all three charges and shall have something to say on the charge of dangerous driving."

Inspector Alexander, outlining the case, said:

Soon after 10 p.m. on May 25, last, motor car No. 2925 was driven towards Queen's Road up Murray Road, it is alleged at a speed between 30 and 40 m.p.h. The car in turning east along Queen's Road East did not keep to the left but took a wide sweep and nearly collided with a lamp standard. It travelled along Queen's Road East for 50 or 60 yards and collided with public riksha No. 509. The riksha was on its proper side of the road, and the front left side of the car collided with the right rear end of the riksha. A European lady in the riksha was thrown to the ground and rather seriously injured. The cooie also was thrown to the ground. The car did not stop but went back to Repulse Bay Hotel where it was put in the garage.

Later that night I went to the hotel and went to defendant's room. He admitted driving the car and said "A girl walked into the car." The number of the car was obtained through some men of the South Wales Borderers and also the riksha puller, who got it from a passer-by. When this car collided with the riksha, a lady, Mrs. Vincent, was in bed in Queen's Road, and she heard the crash and got up and went to the assistance of the injured lady who was taken to the Dockyard, where a stretcher was obtained and later she was taken to the Government Civil Hospital after having been attended to by a Naval surgeon. She was discharged from hospital on June 12, and is still under medical attention at her house.

Mr. Schofield: Is it known definitely on which part of the road the riksha was running?

Inspector Alexander: On the proper side on the left hand side.

Was there much damage done to the riksha?—It was not badly damaged; only to the extent of about \$10. The cooie was scratched, but was not seriously injured. He had to wait for about

two or three days until another riksha was provided.

Causes of Accident.

Addressing the Court, Mr. Evans said:—There are two explanations which I should like to put before your Worship as regards this accident, but before I do so, I would like to mention the activities of the defendant on the day in question.

He is employed by the General Electric Co., and the Empire Fair had started on the day previous to the accident. They were exhibiting an extremely powerful flood light which had a candle-power of 750,000 to 1,000,000. Defendant was in charge of this the previous night and was on duty at the Fair from 7 p.m. till 9 p.m. He was at work the next morning at 9 a.m. and went again at 7 p.m. on the evening of the accident, remaining there until 9.30 p.m.

During the time he was there, he had occasion to step from behind the light to the front to satisfy himself that each of the nine bulbs was functioning correctly. He therefore exposed himself to the full glare of this enormous beam. He did that several times and once before he left at 9.30 p.m. when he stepped in front of it at a very short distance and noticed that each of the bulbs was functioning correctly. He then left and took the 9.50 ferry and got in his car at the Praya when he arrived at Hongkong, and proceeded at what he thought was a normal pace.

In the first place, the defendant was extremely tired. It was extremely hot, and he did, in fact, feel extremely sleepy, and it is part of my submission that this sleepy feeling was induced largely by the glare that he had subjected his eyes to. It is a well-known fact that gazing at a bright light for any length of time does induce sleepiness and that is emphasised by the fact that hystolists always use bright lights to induce sleepiness.

I may mention that after duty that night, he had not had any dinner at all and was on his way back to Repulse Bay to get some sandwiches before turning in. The effect of driving in that state, therefore, is no defence, and it is for that reason that I advised my client to plead guilty. But it is a very possible and probable explanation as to how this accident occurred.

Fogged and Misty Eyes.

Continuing, Counsel said:—The other explanation is this. There are two conditions of eye strain or eye-affected due to glare. The first is known as adaptation from light to dark and as your Worship knows, the converse is from dark to light. There is a period during which you cannot focus correctly and no amount of concentration can remove that. It is entirely natural of course. During that period one's eye-sight is fogged and misty and the period of adaptation in cases of extreme glare is forty-five minutes. That is the maximum period; the minimum period might be about 10 minutes.

There is a second condition which is popularly called the "eclipsed eye." That may be very often an extremely serious matter, as not only is there the adaptation period, but there is actually an injury to the retina of the eye. That injury may be extremely temporary, semi-permanent or permanent. It is a curious fact that if you look at something while in that condition, you don't see the very thing you are looking at but do see other things. That is caused by extreme glare. There is no gaining saying the fact that the defendant did not see what he hit. I am suggesting this as a possible explanation of why he did not see the accident. This explanation can be verified by calling an eye specialist, should your Worship so desire. Both the explanations are entirely consistent with the fact that defendant drove to Repulse Bay and proceeded to go to bed. He tells me that the impact with the riksha was not such a serious one as to lead him to believe that anything serious had happened. And though he now realises he should have stopped, he failed to do so. Had he any idea of the nature or extent of the damage and injury caused, I am sure your

Worship will let me say there would have been no reason for these charges.

No Previous Conviction.

I understand there is no previous conviction against him in the Colony for dangerous driving or any other kind of driving, though there was a conviction against him for parking outside the Pong Hotel. I am particularly asking that in assessing any penalty, your Worship will take into consideration these explanations and also not suspend his driving licence. I understand he uses this car very extensively for business purposes, as his calling being that of an electrical engineer takes him from one end of the Colony to the other at a moment's notice. In addition to that is the fact that he lives in the Repulse Bay Hotel and his car is a very convenient form of conveyance. I ask your Worship to give indulgence in view of these explanations.

Mr. Schofield: Is it not the usual practice to use deep tinted red glasses for such purposes?

Mr. Evans: Not in that particular case. Those glasses are only used for acetylene welding.

Mr. Schofield: I know from my own experience of searchlights we have always had to keep red tinted glasses on. I should think it would be advisable for any one dealing with such powerful lights to use strong tinted red glasses in the future. Knowing himself to be in such a condition, it might have been much wiser for him to have hired a car.

Mr. Evans: I should have mentioned it before, but there is in fact an explanation for that. The defendant thought it was not right for him to leave his car parked on the Praya all through the night. He was under the impression that the car had to be removed.

Mr. Schofield: It is true that when one leaves a car on the Praya all night, one is apt to find it removed when one returns for it, either by natural or other causes. Certainly it is not advisable to leave it all night. I take it there is no suggestion that the defendant had consumed alcohol before the accident.

No Intoxicants.

Mr. T. H. King: There is no evidence that he was under the influence of drink. There is no evidence that he had not had a drink, but he had driven from the scene of the accident to Repulse Bay without any further mishap. We do not allege intoxication; we have no evidence on that point. But it is also not alleged that he is a teetotaler.

Mr. Schofield: It certainly strikes me that one of these explanations is a possible one. Putting aside the question of his being under the influence of liquor, I cannot understand how defendant could have driven on without taking notice of the accident.

Mr. King: I cannot offer a definite explanation. It is clear though that the defendant was not unaware that he had hit something. I must ask your Worship to take a serious view of his going on without giving any information to the Police.

Mr. Schofield: What is the evidence that he had knowledge?

Mr. King: The statement that he made to Inspector Alexander when he said, "I was driving the car, the girl walked into the car."

Mr. Schofield: That may not be a reference to the accident.

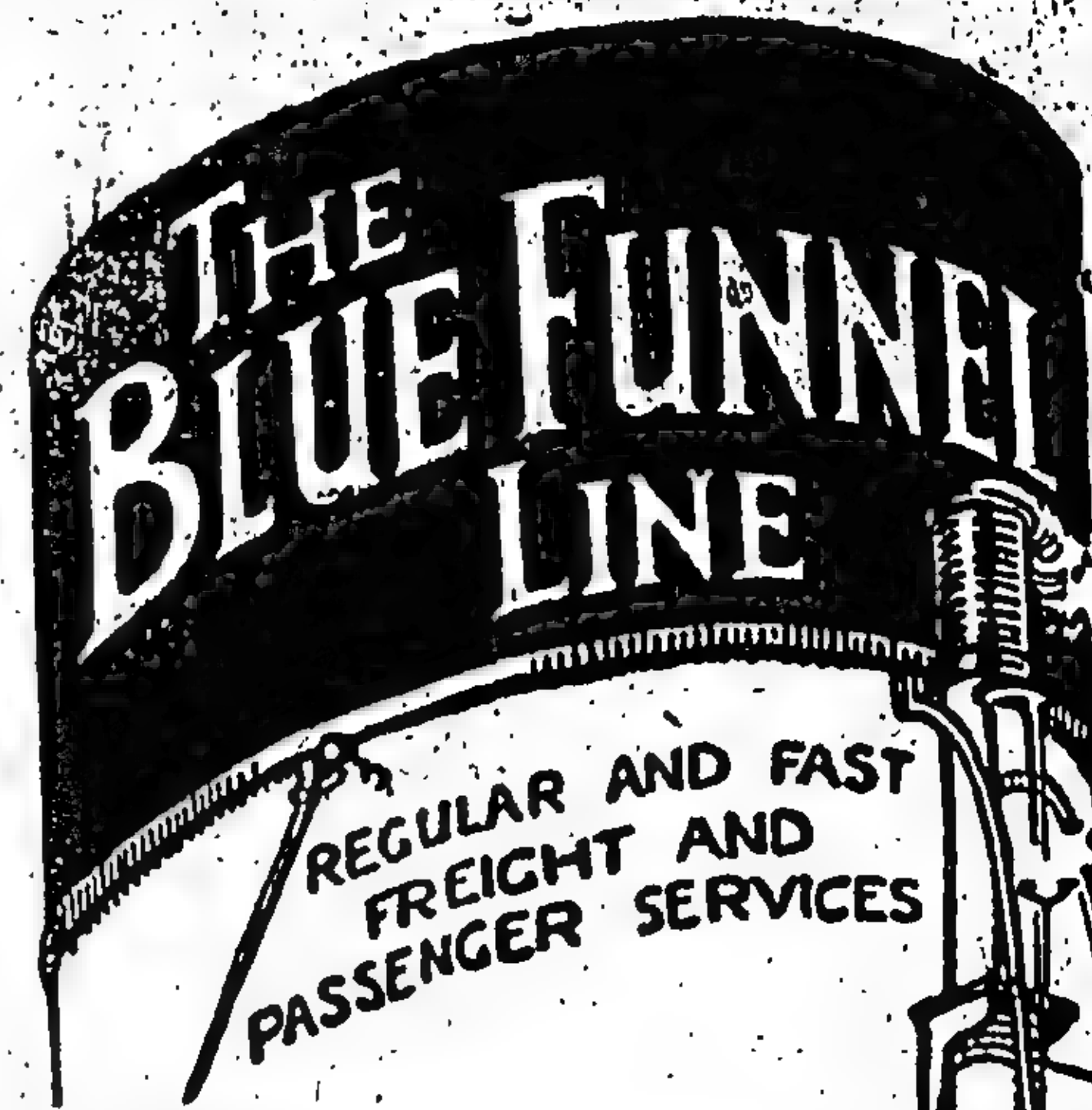
Mr. King: It could only be a reference to that night.

Mr. Evans: Defendant understood from Inspector Alexander that a lady had been hit, and not knowing how he hit her, he thought it was the best possible thing he could say.

Mr. Schofield: I should like to compliment Mrs. Vincent in helping the injured lady; I think she did very well. With regard to the damage to the riksha and the injury to the cooie, I will make an order serving both.

Mr. Schofield then directed that \$10 be paid to the owner of the riksha for damages and \$2 to the cooie for loss of wages.

"I am not including the sentence of imprisonment as I feel sure the explanation was a good one," said Mr. Schofield, who continued that he would not make any order regarding costs, remarking that that could be settled elsewhere.



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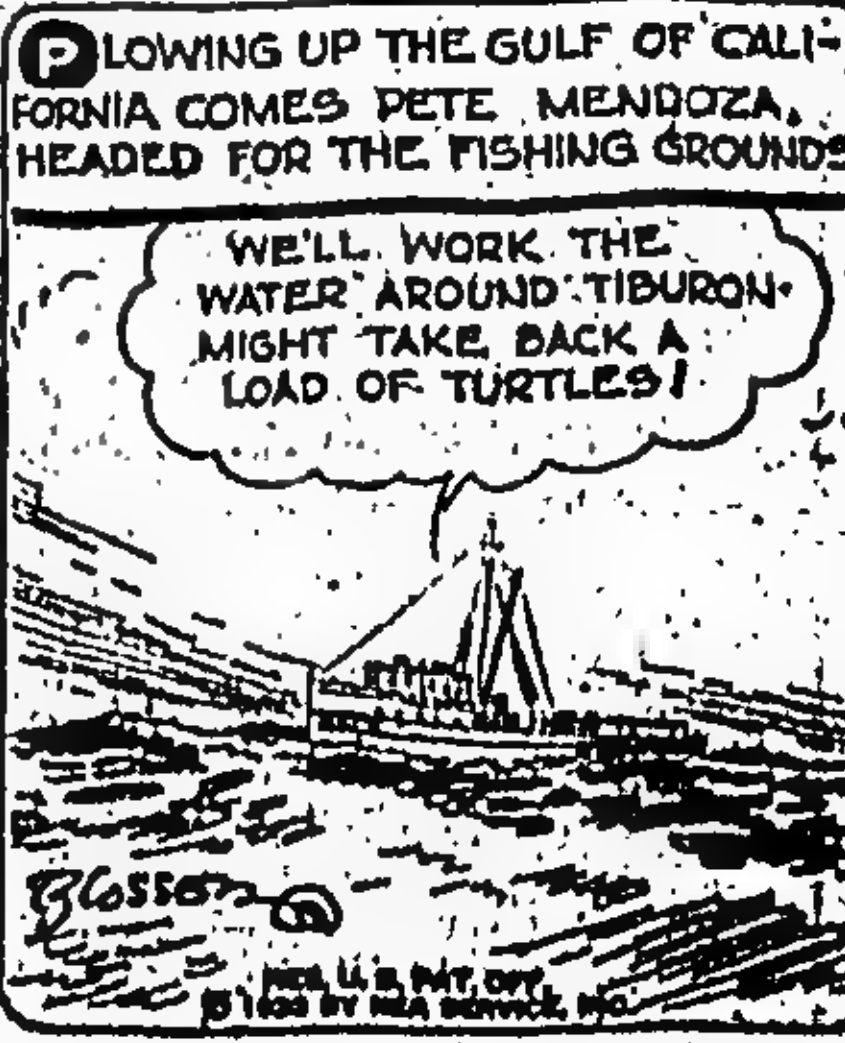
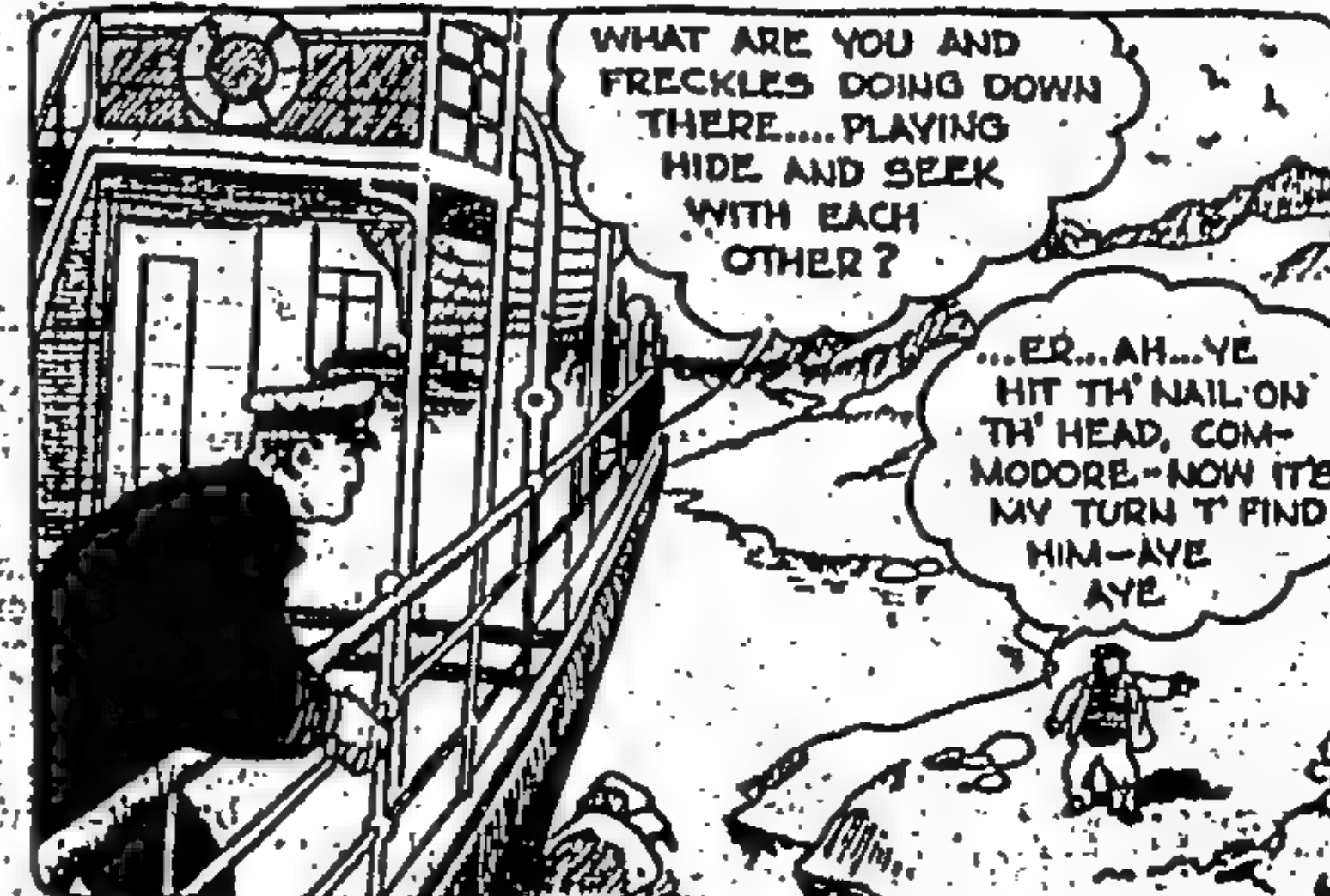
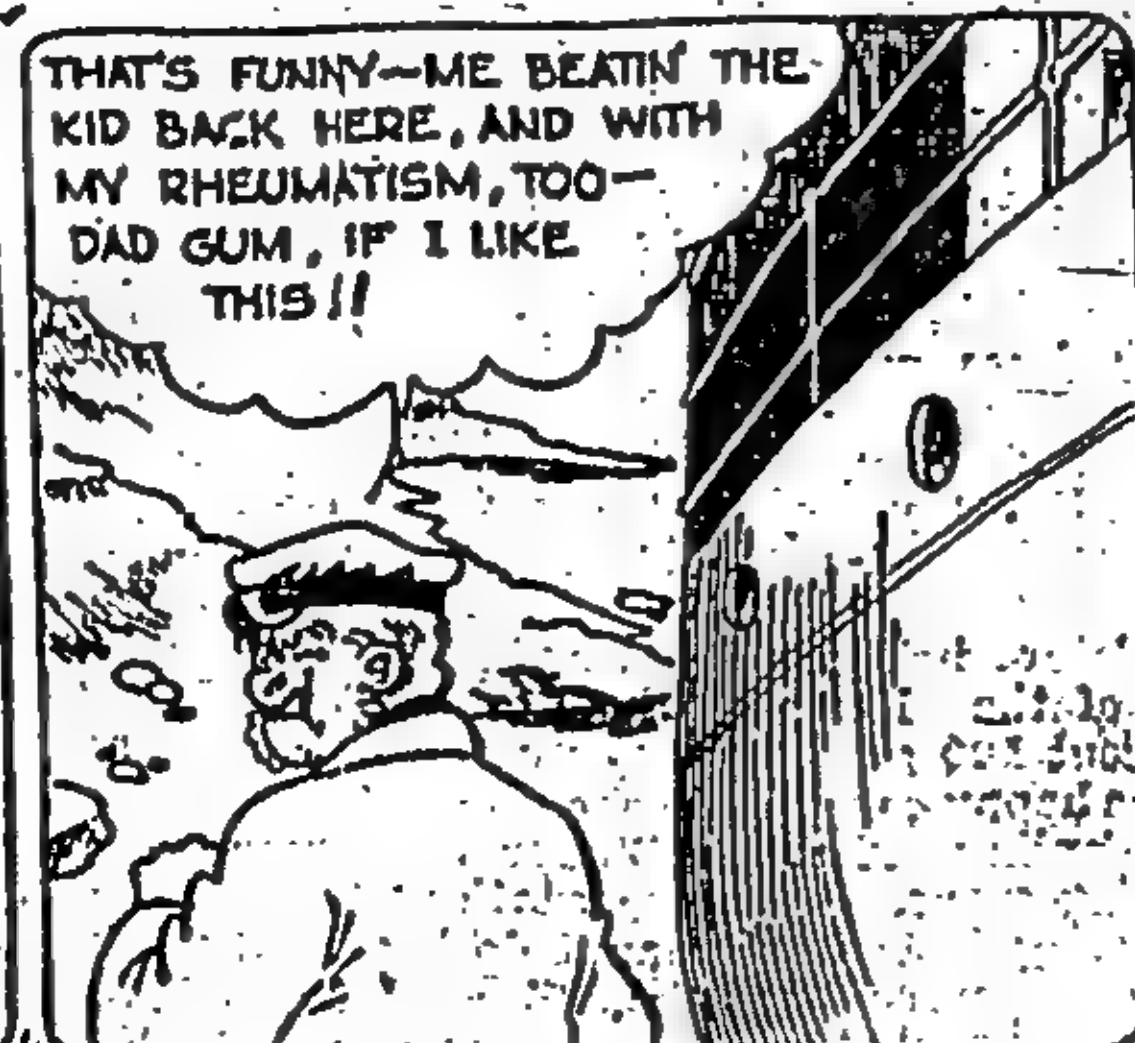
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By W. E. McKenney.

Have you ever noticed how often players will complain about their bad luck and how the cards break against them?

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Take, for example, the following hand that was played at the close of the season of the Cleveland Inter-club Whist League. At practically every table North and South arrived at a contract of six no trumps and it was surprising to note that only one pair made their contract—the rest complained about their bad breaks.

Mr. C. E. Gunn, a young tournament player of Cleveland, was

♠ A-K-10-8-2	♥ A-K-4	♦ K-9-7	♣ 9-4
♠ 9-7-6	♥ 4-3	♦ Q-J-8	♣ 7-6
♠ 4-3	♥ 7-6	♦ 4-2	♣ 4-6
♠ J-5	♥ 10-2	♦ J-10	♣ 8-6
♠ 10-5-3	♥ Q-J	♦ 10-5-3	♣ 10-5-3

the one declarer who found the way to make his contract.

The Bidding

South bid one club, West passed and North bid one spade. Mr. Gunn in the South made a constructive bid of two diamonds and North then bid two hearts, endeavouring to fill the heart suit for his partner in the hope that the hand could be played for a slam.

Mr. Gunn then bid two no trumps, North bid three spades, Mr. Gunn bid three no trumps and North went to six no trumps.

The Play

A spade was opened against Mr. Gunn and he allowed it to ride around to his queen. A diamond was played and won in dummy with the king. Mr. Gunn tried for a spade break by leading the ace and king, but on the second spade East showed out, discarding a club.

Mr. Gunn tried to see if the diamond suit would break and took two rounds of diamonds, but on the second diamond West showed out, discarding a small heart. Mr. Gunn led his ace and king of clubs—and on the second club West was forced to discard a heart.

Mr. Gunn had a perfect reading on the West hand. West had showed out of both clubs and diamonds, and as East had shown out of spades, the nine and seven of spades were definitely located in the West hand, leaving nothing else that West could hold but three hearts.

So Mr. Gunn led a small heart, won in dummy with the ace, cashed his king of hearts and then led a small heart from dummy, throwing West in the lead. West was forced to lead from his nine-seven of spades into the dummy's ten-eight.

Here we find a hand in which not one of the suits would break, but still the declarer made his slam contract by employing an end play.

MACAO MATTERS

GOVERNOR EXPECTED TO
RETURN SHORTLY

Macao, June 19.

Dr. P. da Rocha Santos, Officer Administering the Government, has received a telegraphic message from H. E. the Governor (Lt. Col. Bernardes de Miranda) who is in Portugal attending the Portuguese Colonial Conference, stating that problems of special interest to Macao will be brought up during the week commencing June 19.

These problems include a scheme for the utilisation and development of the reclaimed areas of the New Port, a scheme to join the islands of Taipa and Colowan to Macao, a proposed agricultural station at Macao in the island of Colowan, a scheme to develop certain areas in the islands of Colowan and Taipa, and several smaller schemes to develop the colony.

The message adds that H. E. the Governor has already booked passage for the return trip to Macao. Special permission has been granted to him to delay his return for a few weeks to enable him to meet his family who are sailing for Portugal at an early date, on the recommendation of local physicians, who insist that the Governor's little son must leave Macao as soon as possible.

Catholics at Macao were recently given the opportunity of hearing from an Australian journalist, Miss Jean Armstrong, all about her experiences at Goa and seeing a film of the last exposition of the body of St. Francis Xavier. The picture was shown twice at the Capitol Theatre, which was crowded to overflowing on both occasions.

After describing her own miraculous cure of a spinal disease, Miss Armstrong told about the enthusiastic manner in which the Indians and other visitors to the Church of Bom Jesus, in Old Goa, entered into the celebration held last year at the shrine of St. Francis Xavier.

The life of St. Francis Xavier is well known and his labours in the East are also not unfamiliar to the Catholics at Macao, but it was the first time that they were given the opportunity of viewing the ceremonies and the dignified manner in which the saint's body is treated at Goa, and more particularly the cures effected at the tomb of the saint.

The picture showed scenes of Old Goa and New Goa and other parts of Portuguese India.

The lady journalist is going from place to place telling her story and showing the picture. She has much to say about the good work already done through the spreading of a better understanding of the glories of St. Francis Xavier.—Our Own Correspondent.

AUSTRIA'S PERIL

BRITISH SYMPATHY
FOR VIENNA

London, June 19.

Sympathetic reference to Austria's attempts to resist the Nazi pretensions, were made by Capt. Eden in the House of Commons today when he said the Government was watching the efforts which Dr. Dollfuss, Austrian Premier, was making to establish Austrian finances on a sound basis and maintain the authority and independence of the state. He regretted the recent Austro-German incidents, he said.—Reuter.

AFTER INFLUENZA

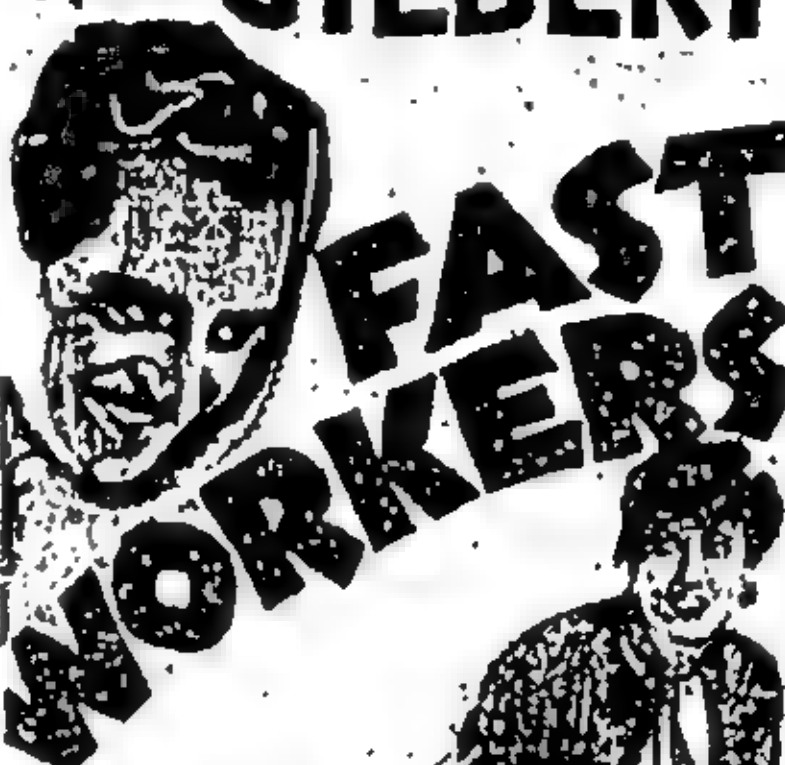
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Mrs. Baillie-Stewart, mother of Norman Baillie-Stewart, the former Seaforth Highlander lieutenant who was recently found guilty by court-martial of selling information to a foreign power and sentenced to five years' penal servitude, has sent the following letter to the Press Association:—
"As the broken-hearted mother of Norman Baillie-Stewart, I ask you, in the cause of justice, to publish this letter, trusting that someone of authority in this country may read it, and take the matter up on behalf of my unfortunate son.
"As all the world knows, this more boy of 24 is now undergoing a long term of imprisonment, convicted of the most terrible charges, which were supported only by circumstantial evidence.
"Not one act approaching treachery, to his country was proved against him, but the whole evidence, none of which my son denied, was interpreted by the prosecution in such a manner as to tell against him.
"I am quite sure my poor boy has no idea even to-day of the truth and, for that very obvious reason, he is unable to put forward a satisfactory explanation in his defence.
"SECRET EVIDENCE.
"The fact that the evidence of certain witnesses was taken in camera has been most misleading

to the public. I know quite definitely that not one word heard behind closed doors was in any way detrimental to my son's cause.
"Mr. Norman Parkes urged at the commencement of the trial that all evidence should be in open court, but the prosecution insisted it should be otherwise, to safeguard, so they said, foreign witnesses. This procedure has proved to be most unfair to my son, since the nation has been allowed to think that something heard in camera showed him guilty.
"Since the trial I have received innumerable letters from strangers protesting against this miscarriage of justice, and yet no persons in authority seem to have interested themselves further in the case. Is this right?
"NEW LIGHT.
"Two articles have appeared in the Press written by Lieut.-Colonel Balfour Macnaghten, which throw an entirely new light on the whole affair and form the basis of a perfectly sound, reasonable explanation, which, if correct, would show my son's innocence beyond all doubt, and surely, as this explanation has been given, it should be considered.
"I appeal to all right-thinking people to see that this cruel case is not allowed to rest where it is, and to do anything in their power to free an innocent boy.
"Can the public imagine what this case has meant to my husband and myself, whose families have been in the Services of their country for generations and many of them gave their lives in the Great War? Until a short while ago we looked to both our sons to serve England loyally all their lives, as both would have done. (Signed) E. B. WRIGHT.

EVEREST PHOTO ERROR

LORD CLYDESDALE EXPLAINS

The Marquess of Clydesdale, chief pilot of the Houston Mount Everest Expedition, admitted in a speech at Glasgow that when the first historic flight over the 29,002-ft. summit was made on April 3 the wrong mountain was photographed from the air.

He said that while his observer was in the cockpit changing a reel in his camera the aeroplane's course was altered. When the observer looked up again he was unaware of the fact, with the result that he photographed a mountain some miles away in mistake for Everest.

"I turned round and tried to hit him in the ribs," said the marquess, "and he did see his mistake very quickly. We got some very good photographs of the north-east ridge of Everest.
"It is not always very easy to see from photographs which mountain is shown, and at present all our photographs are being scrutinised by experts of the Royal Geographical Society. They are trying to put out a survey of this ground."

It was on May 8 that attention was first drawn to the photographic error in the flight. There was, of course, no doubt that the expedition had flown over Everest, but experts were of the opinion that one of the photographs described as a view of the north-west of Everest was, in fact, of Makalu, about 12½ miles distant.

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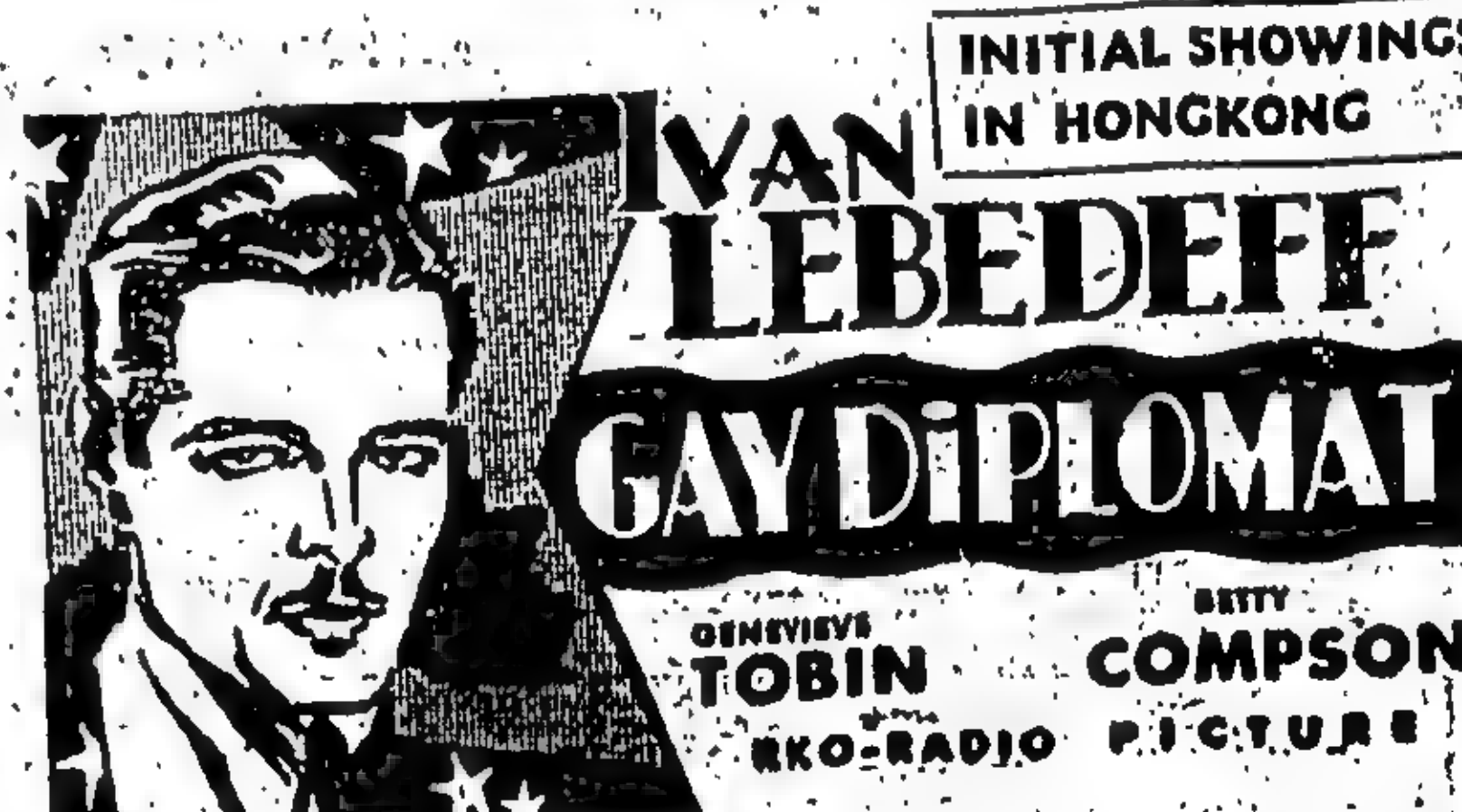


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EVENING GOWNS

A Blow to the "Don't Dress" Movement

(From a Paris Correspondent)

The "don't dress" movement has received a blow. Women have gone back to being "beautiful ladies, richly dressed," in the evening.

Clothes that can go on from five to midnight are still fashionable, but they are getting a lot of competition from dresses that can only bloom in a glittering evening atmosphere. The judgment of Paris has been passed in favour of the real evening dress for evening wear, when, and if possible.

There are lots of traces of the "don't dress" fashions in these formal evening clothes for Spring 1933. Sleeves, far from being a disgrace on an evening gown that is backless to the waist, are as smart as ever. Another kind of evening dress is made with the décolletage which covers up everything but a bit of the shoulders.

Woolen dresses are smart for formal evening wear, but they are always daringly low cut, and very long, to compensate for their daytime fabric.

Formal evening frocks this season almost invariably have long skirt, either to the toes, or trailing a little. Dinner dresses on the other hand, are mostly ankle, or instep length, no longer.

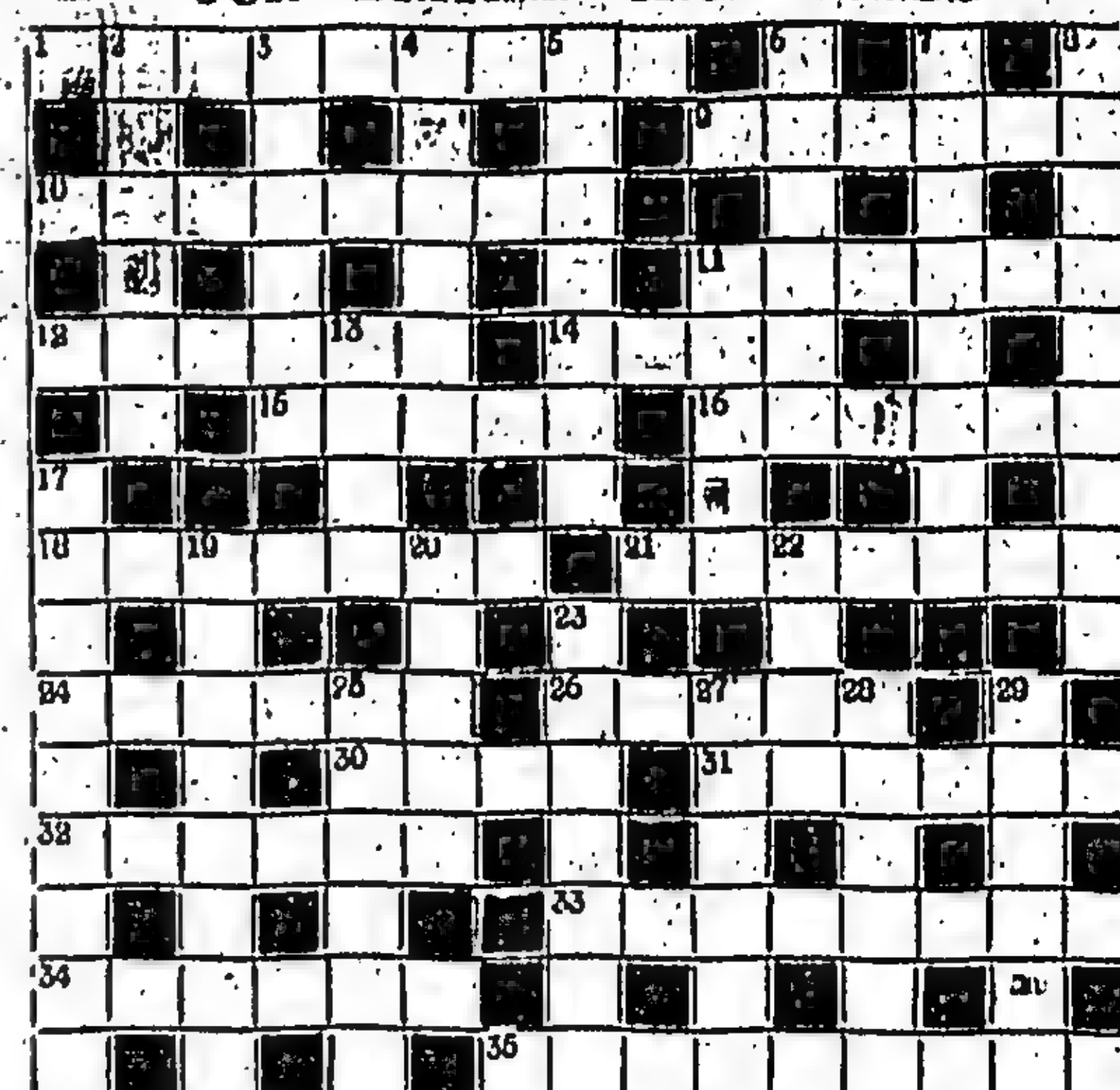
A feature of the evening mode is the addition of a voluminous scarf of chiffon or tulle tied round the neck by one end and fastened with a huge artificial rose, the long ends floating down the back.

Stitched Chic



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- 5 Nail the French and collar the lot for the fisherman.
- 6 This doesn't matter a jot.
- 7 There's a snare in this.
- 8 Bury.
- 9 Rome, in contrition, suffers a setback.
- 10 Might describe a swimming contest—anyway, no moist as can be.
- 11 Crime.
- 12 Up to.
- 13 A feature to face, although we may disapprove to begin with.
- 14 A much-bepectated system of black magic.
- 15 Jewish priestly vestments of linen.
- 16 Laying by the hose—it won't be wanted in an average English summer?
- 17 Triumphs.
- 18 Was recognised by Louis XIV. as James III.

DOWN

- 2 Get in, or reverse the advertisement for an attack.
- 3 If you're quick in this and take up a different position you'll be O.K.
- 4 Mashie. It would not be so hard with a different head.
- 5 There's not much give in such a nature.
- 6 "To care for him who shall have borne the battle, and for his widow, and his— (Lincoln, "Second Inaugural Address").

- 7 I take my place in this old carriage in a divided role after a more modern vehicle.
- 8 A thorough rasel.
- 9 Well-known jockey's Christian name.
- 10 You'll want your den to have a first-rate interior, won't you?
- 11 A musician.
- 12 Rum and Rith. What a mixture to make merry on!
- 13 This cycle—known to the Babylonians—roars when given a twist.
- 14 Ten in Brazil for three.
- 15 Though you'll have to make a guess for it, this type of solver is not likely to be very successful.
- 16 Ends in church.
- 17 Part of the body.
- 18 There's no chance when we haven't got one (hyphen).
- 19 A vegetable overweight for spring.

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STABILISATION HOPE

INTERNATIONAL BANK AGREEMENT

London, June 19.

Hope has not yet been abandoned for a pound and dollar stabilisation agreement. Some understanding may be reached before the end of the week through a rapprochement between the Banks of England and France and the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, instead of by an inter-Governmental agreement.

The view is strongly held in Conference and financial circles, that stabilization is essential to the success of the Conference.

Both the Economic and Monetary Commissions met this morning, the former debating the French proposal in favour of international organisation for the production and marketing of certain products, including wheat, wine, timber, cotton, coal, wool and silver.

Mr. Quo Tai-chi represents China on the Economic Commission and Dr. W. W. Yen on the Monetary Commission.

The Monetary Commission discussed credit proposals raised by

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WATCHMAN FOUND NOT-GUILTY AT SESSIONS

Lau So, a former District Watchman, was found not guilty at the Sessions yesterday before the Puisne Judge, Mr. R. E. Lindell, when he appeared to answer a charge of wounding Li Chuen, a hawker, at West Point on April 21.

the delegates of Eastern European states, the Greeks suggesting the creation of special trade treaties between creditor and debtor nations in order to facilitate debt services.—Reuter.

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BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

MONNIE O'DARE, whose family has seen better days, works in Vernon's drug store and helps to support the family. She is in love with DAN CARDIGAN, son of wealthy parents. SANDRA LAWRENCE, pretending to be Monnie's friend, tries to win him from her. CHARLES EUSTACE, handsome newcomer, is friendly to Monnie but she thinks he is interested in KAY, her younger sister. BILL, Monnie's older brother, plans to marry ANGIE GILLON, a maid at Sandra Lawrence's home, suspecting her of "vamping" JIMMY, the chauffeur.

CHAPTER XI

Angie Gillon, yellow-haired, petite and windblown, put her hand on Bill O'Dare's shoulder. "Be nice, Bill," she begged. "Don't be that way!"

He frowned at her. A tall young man with the dark eyes of the O'Dares, the crest of dark bronzed hair, he was good to look upon. He had discarded the blue jeans of his daytime calling for a neat dark gray suit. His white shirt and polka-dotted tie were correct even if he had not been able to eradicate the traces of grime from his fingernails.

"You said," Bill reminded Angie, "it was all off between you and Stan. That he was going to see about the divorce when he went up to Cleveland."

Angie made her reedy little voice sound plaintive. "I know I did," she lisped. "I meant it, too. But Stan hasn't got the money. It costs money to get a divorce."

Bill scowled, pushing the white china saltcellar back and forth across the shiny white table-top. Angie lifted a thick white cup and drank her coffee, without interest. It was hot. It was very hot. Flies buzzed annoyingly

around the restaurant door. The heat of a June afternoon shimmered all about. Heat brooded over the street outside where one or two shabby cars were parked. "Let's get out of this dump," Bill muttered. "Let's get going."

Angie stared at him, affronted. "You were the one who wanted a bite to eat," she reminded him. "I didn't pick the place."

"I know. I know." Gruffly Bill demanded his check from the limp waitress. His strong jaw looked set as he paid it. The set of his shoulders was sullen. Angie, rounding her pouting mouth, pretended not to see.

They got into the rattletap car she had driven into Belvedere the day of Bill's arrest a month ago. Angie put one ridiculously small foot on the starter. There was a clash of gears and the absurd vehicle chugged away in a cloud of dust.

"We should've taken a lunch and gone in swimming," Angie regretted, tooling her chariot along the road by the river. "We were saps not to think of it."

They passed the country club where two or three men in white linen with caps worn hindside-foremost played golf. Beyond lay the pool, red and blue caps bobbing on the surface. A tall girl in a pale green suit did a swan dive.

Angie stopped the car. "Swell," she observed. "Wish I could do that!" She peered across through the heat haze. "That's the Lawrence girl," she observed with relish. "Bet she brought that suit from Paris. She sure has swell clothes." Angie sounded envious. Bill wriggled uncomfortably.

What's the matter? Don't you like it here? Angie lifted an eyebrow in his direction. "It's nice and cool. Best place I've been to-day."

Bill was plainly out of sorts. He grunted. "Can't hang around here staring like kids' outside a candy shop. People'll think we're crazy."

"Guess you don't like any of your friends to see you with me, that's what!" the girl said without rancor, starting the engine. Bill's laugh sounded faintly disagreeable. "My friends! At the country club? There's a laugh!"

Angie said, "My Aunt Mollie told me the other day your father ran with all the big bugs when he was young. Said by rights your family belonged with that crowd but you don't have the money. It's true, isn't it? Doesn't everybody think your sister's going to marry Dan Cardigan? And aren't the Cardigans just like John D. Rockefeller, pretty near?"

Bill barked. "Just because Monnie and Dan went to high school together—He left the sentence hanging."

"Guess they're pretty crazy about each other, just the same," Angie said coolly.

"This burg makes me sick," Bill O'Dare told her, lighting a cigarette. "You can't take a deep breath without having it in the town paper. Monnie's got lots of friends. Dan Cardigan's only one of them."

"Sure, I know. Give me one," Angie demanded, reaching over and taking the cigarette from his lax fingers. "Stingy!"

Bill looked at her piquant profile. "You're cute, do you know it?" he demanded. "You're a lot better tempered than most of those girls in that country club gang, even though they—He pretended to cough. Angie laughed.

"Finish it, big boy. Say they think I'm dirt and something to wipe their feet on. It's no news to me."

"I didn't mean that," Bill said awkwardly.

Angie's laugh hadn't a trace of malice in it. "I know all about them," she said. "When they come into the shop they don't know I'm there. It's all right with me. I'm not sensitive. I wrap up their chocolate nougat and give them the lice just like they do me. 'Specially that Lawrence girl. She sure thinks she's the cat!"

"Why don't you like her?" Bill inquired idly.

Angie considered this. "I don't know—exactly," she said slowly. "Guess maybe it's because she's just a fake. What I mean, she butters everybody up and makes the person she's with think he's the cat, too. Then she gets her claws going and oh, kitty, kitty, can she scratch!"

"She's been friends with Monnie for some time. Monnie likes her—I guess," Bill said.

"She must have a reason then," Angie decided. "Friend of mine works at their house. Maybe I mentioned her."

Bill winced. He was no snob but it was a little galling occasionally to realize that the girl he loved and whom he intended to marry consorted with the servants of the people he'd once known as equals.

Angie caught the expression in the fall of her eye and realized instantly what it meant.

"You don't like that," she said shrewdly. "You don't like having me know Hetty Link who's the Lawrence girl's maid."

"It's nothing to me," Bill assured her crossly. "It's none of my doggone business." "Well, she's a funny kid," Angie pursed. "She's got a case on

the Lawrences' chauffeur. Jim Howitt—guess you know him. She goes to the movies a lot and tries a Garbo on Jim. Jim doesn't know she's on earth, hardly. Now she's got some nutty idea that the girl friend is trying to vamp Jim and she's all hot and bothered about it."

"You mean Sandra?" Bill asked incredulously.

Angie nodded. "Might not be far off," she said. "Jimmy's pretty swell looking in that trick suit with the brass buttons. Anyhow Hetty thinks he is and that makes it so. She's a one-idea girl. If Miss Lawrence is smart, she'll lay off. Hetty might go funny on them and it wouldn't be so good."

She interrupted herself to say swiftly, "Look, Bill, you better let me drop you by the station. Stan's coming over to-night to talk about things. Maybe we'll get something settled."

"You've known that all afternoon and you only just sprang it on me now," Bill accused, black as a thunder cloud. As Angie slowed the car he jumped out and stood beside her, very tall and grim and angry, above her white beret and flying yellow curls.

"Sure I did but you had such a grouch I didn't dare," she informed him with insouciance. She was pretty. In a candy-box way, this girl with the starry eyes and preposterously plucked eyebrows. She had a gamine, elfin appeal in spite of the cheap gaiety of her outfit.

"All right," Bill growled. "If that's the way you feel about it. Nobody's going to twotime me and get away with it."

He lifted his hat. Without another word he strode away in the direction of the station. The afternoon train was just pulling in. As Angie watched he jumped casually aboard.

She sat there, a small, ingenuously looking creature in summer white, staring after him. Angie swallowed hard. Once. Twice. "Oh, Bill," she wailed under her breath. "Why did you do that?"

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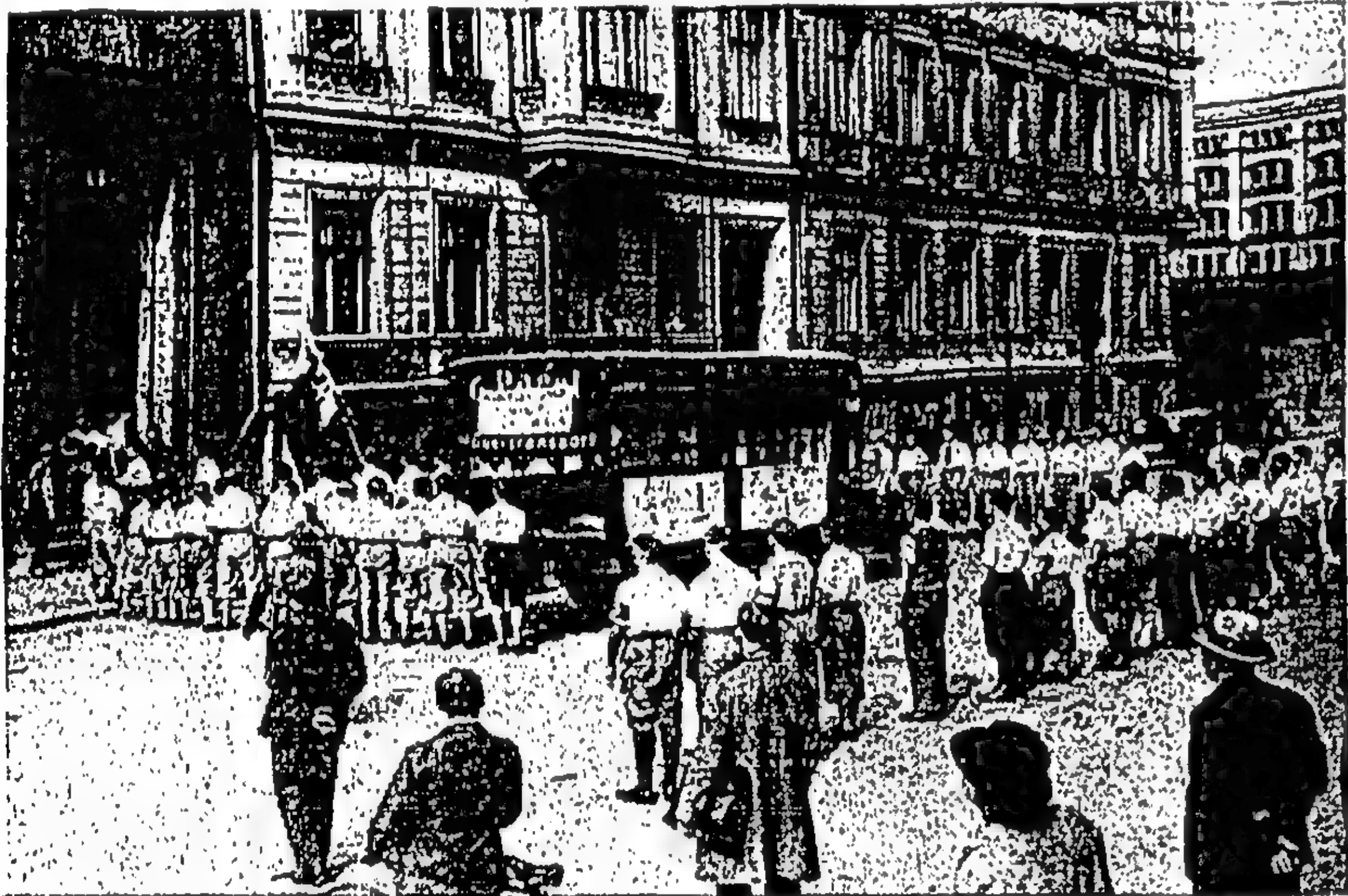
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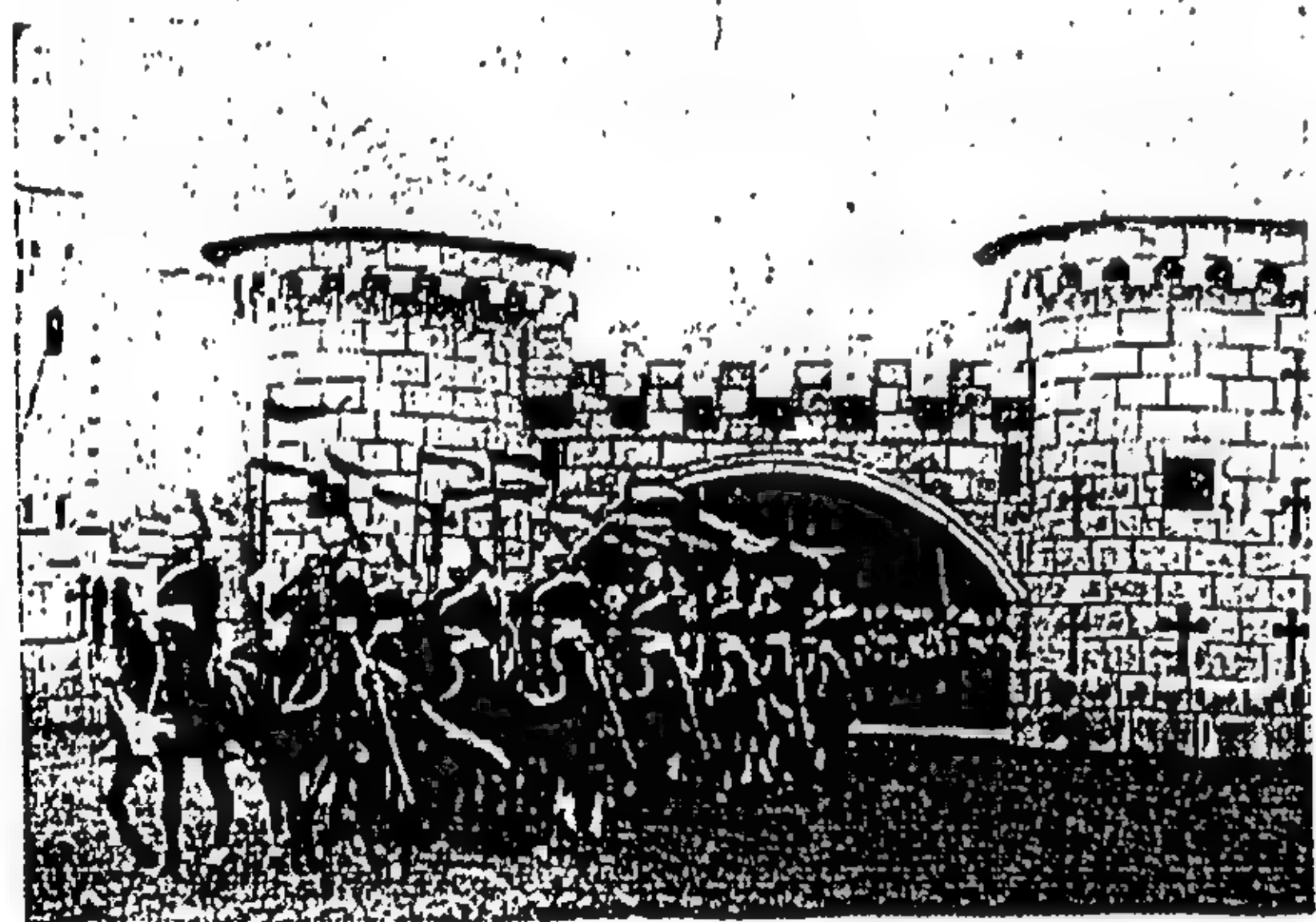
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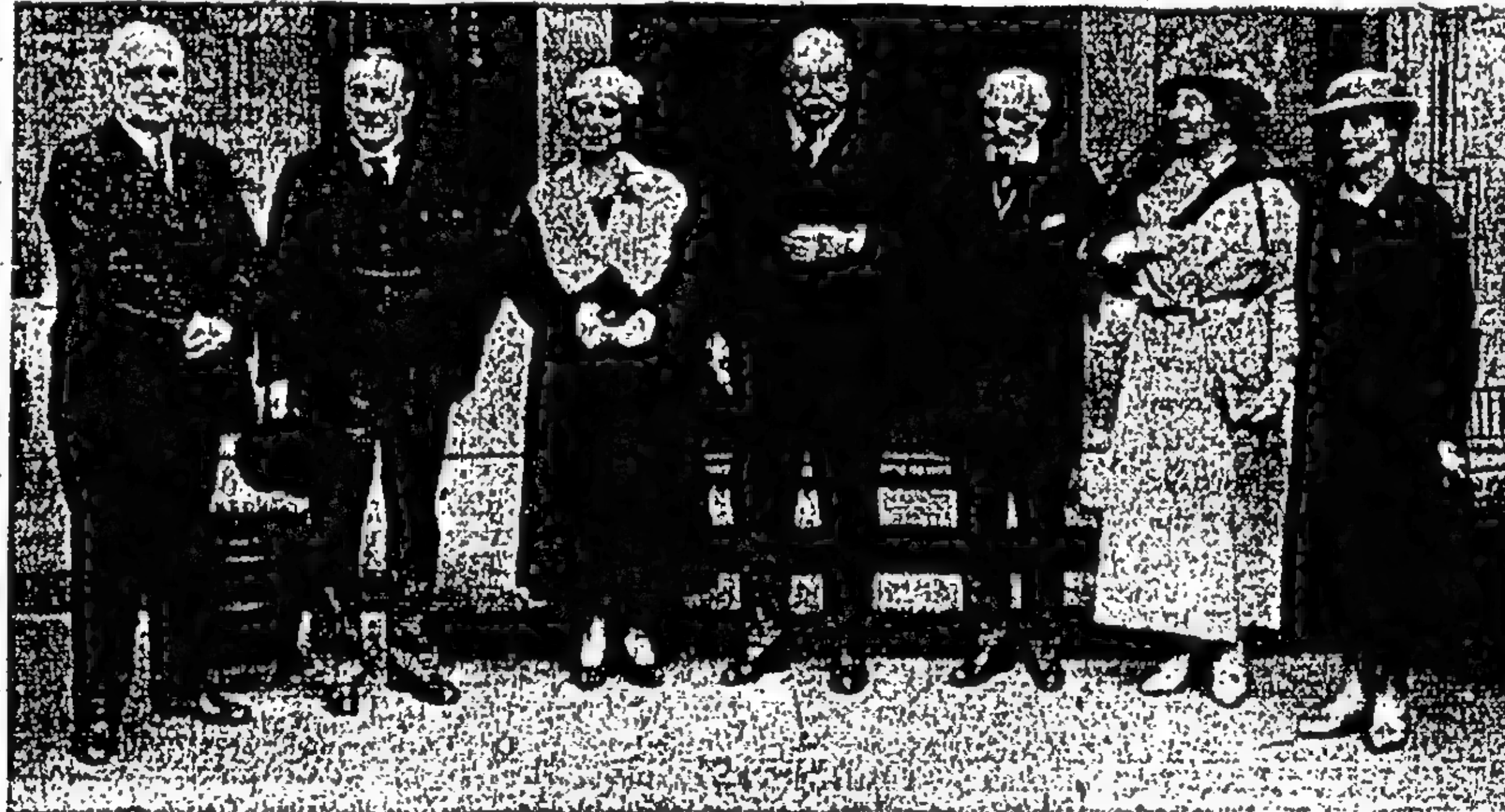
Nazi students carrying out "Un-German" books from the library of Professor Dr. Magnus Hirschfeld in Berlin in the course of the "Purge" operations against so-called immoral German literature. (Planet News).



Reginald Turner, a 14 year old schoolboy, who saved the life of Dr. J. Littleale when his plane crashed at Charing, Kent, is here seen standing beside the wreckage of the machine from which he pulled the surgeon to safety. (Planet News).



Another picture taken at the rehearsal of the Aldershot Military Tattoo at the Rushmore Arena. The photograph shows the Lancers in procession through the castle. (Planet News).



A reception was given by the United Associations of Great Britain and France in honour of M. de Fleuriau, the retiring French Ambassador, and in the picture can be seen (left to right) Mr. George Lambury, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Mmo. de Fleuriau, Lord Derby, M. de Fleuriau, Mrs. Baldwin and Miss Ishbel Macdonald. (Planet News).



Stalin, the Russian dictator, allowed himself to be photographed in public for the first time for many years when he attended the military parade past Lenin's tomb during May Day Celebrations. Stalin is here seen in uniform in the centre of the group. (Planet News).



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When the Prince of Wales called on the nation to abolish slums and replace them with "houses worthy of the dignity of our race," he was speaking not merely as the Heir to the Throne but as one of the most important and most active landlords in the country.

In a few weeks' time a block of working-class flats on the Prince's Kensington, S.E., estate will be ready for occupation. It lies at the corner of Sancerre-street and Newburn-street, not many yards west of Kensington-road.

There are 97 flats in the block of buildings, which is one of the most handsome in South London. From whatever angle it is seen, this fine piece of architecture gives an impression of dignity and amplitude. The bricks are of fine quality, and there are more variety and quality of design in its windows, its balconies, and roofs than in many of the new buildings in the West End.

The most noticeable decoration is above the main entrance in Newburn-street. It consists of a strongly carved representation of the Prince's three-feather badge and motto, "Ich Dien" (I serve), and the Initial E.

The flats in Sancerre-street and a similar block in Orsett-street, both of which everyone in the neighbourhood hopes will be opened by the Prince, are among the finest working-class dwellings in London.

LABOUR-SAVING HOUSES.

They are bright and airy, and labour-saving and ranged round a central courtyard with lawns and flower-beds.

The rents range from 10s. 9d. to 15s. 6d. a week, and most of the tenants will come from older houses on the estate which have been or are to be pulled down.

Ever since he took possession the Prince has steadily improved his property, replacing antiquated and unsatisfactory houses with dwellings of the very best type that can be produced on an economic basis.

The tenants are proud of their landlord; nearly every one of them has some story to tell of his consideration and personal interest.

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THE BOYCOTT

JAPAN WILL NOT RAISE QUESTION IN LONDON

Tokyo, June 19.

Although Viscount Ishii in a recent statement indicated that the Japanese would move at the World Economic Conference for "the boycott of boycotts," it is now learnt that the Japanese Government may table its delegation in London not to raise the boycott question at the Economic Conference as a formal Japanese proposition.

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INSUBORDINATION IN THE POLICE FORCE REVELATIONS IN COMMONS

London, May 28.

Examples of police insubordination were quoted during the debate on the Metropolitan Police Bill in the House of Commons last night by Mr. Douglas Hacking, Under Secretary for Home Affairs. He gave them very reluctantly in response to a demand from Mr. Lansbury, Leader of the Opposition.

The first case quoted by Mr. Hacking was a resolution passed by the Joint Executive Committee of the Police Federation on August 14, 1931. It read:—

"That having considered the Commissioner's report dated August 5, 1931, relative to representations made in connexion with the Police Orphanage, this committee notes same with profound regret."

"Can it therefore be wondered at that the members of the service consider the whole affair to be a travesty of justice and fair dealing, and hold strongly to the view that in spite of the denial given by the Commissioner it is a direct attack upon Branch Board representation."

PAY CUT RESOLUTION.

The second example given by Mr. Hacking was a notice posted in all London police stations protesting against the continuance of the pay cut after the Home Secretary had warned the Federation against the publication of such objectionable resolutions. It read:—

"Metropolitan Police Branch Board Joint Executive Council, October 26th, 1932.—I have to inform you that at a meeting of the above committee held at New Scotland Yard to-day, a resolution was carried unanimously and submitted direct to the Secretary of State and a copy to the Commissioner. The principal points contained in the resolution are as follows:—

"The serious concern created in the Force consequent upon the decision to inflict a second cut; submitting that it is no longer necessary to continue with the first cut as the Budget stands balanced; submitting that this is a deliberate attempt to reduce our standard of living, and suggesting that no serious attempt has been made to effect economies in administration."

Mr. Hacking looked round at a house stunned into silence.

"There is a definite charge made against the Secretary of State which certainly ought not to have been published by any federation of people in a disciplined force," he said.

In reply to Mr. Lansbury, who asked if the memorandum of the Police Federation in reply to the charges made against them could not be published, Mr. Hacking gave an emphatic "No."

It was a little unfortunate, he added, that a very inaccurate account of it had appeared in a certain newspaper that morning, and that after the Home Secretary had warned the federation that they must not publish it.

"That does not matter that there is every form of discipline in the Force," he concluded.

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Destination	Inclusive rate	Letters	Postcards
		Per 100g.	Each
		\$	\$
Siem (Bangkok)	0.50	0.85	0.12
India (Calcutta)	0.25	0.50	0.25
India (Calcutta)	0.40	0.70	0.25
India (Calcutta)	0.65	1.05	0.35
Egypt (Cairo)	0.75	1.30	0.40
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Great Britain (London)			
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INWARD MAILS.

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From	Per	Date
Straits	Tokiwa Maru	June 20.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 1st June)	Memnon	June 20.
Shanghai and Swatow	Sunning	June 20.
London Parcels only—London, 18th May	Buenos Aires Maru	June 21.
Europe via Negapatam (Letters and Papers) London, 25th May.	Hector	June 22.
Japan	Hakozaki Maru	June 22.
Japan and Shanghai	Atsuta Maru	June 22.
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U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shang- hai (San Francisco, 20th May)	Burdwan	June 23.
Manila	Pres. Harrison	June 23.
Manila	Pres. Cleveland	June 23.
Manila	General Sherman	June 24.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shang- hai (San Francisco, 2nd June)		
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 3rd June)	Pres. Jackson	June 24.
Japan	Emp. of Asia	June 24.
Calcutta and Straits	Muran Maru	June 24.
	Sirahana	June 24.

CHOPPER ATTACK ALLEGED**TWO FRIENDS AND A WIFE****FIGHT IN CUBICLE**

A chopper attack by an infuriated Chinese who discovered a man with his wife, is alleged by the prosecution in a case which opened before the Police Judge, Mr. R. E. Lindell, at the Criminal Sessions this morning.

Lam Tai-yung, alias Lam Kan, of 8, Gilman's Bazaar, pleaded not guilty to wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm, Li Kwok Hung, known as Li Hung, of 164, Des Voeux Road Central, at the former address on April 22. He also entered a similar plea on a charge of malicious and unlawful wounding.

Mr. R. H. Lim, instructed by Mr. H. C. Lee appeared for accused, and Mr. H. K. Holmes, Crown Solicitor, prosecuted.

The jury consisted of Messrs. F. F. Duckworth, A. H. Harbord, G. Duncan, Jr., G. R. Payne, S. Feldman, Yeung Kwong-chui, B. C. Field.

FORMER FRIENDS.

Setting out the facts of the case, Mr. Holmes said the three persons chiefly concerned were the accused, the wounded man, and the former's wife, who was the "woman in the case." By this phrase he did not wish to make insinuations against the woman, but she was involved, and how far she was involved would be a matter for the jury to determine.

Li Hung and accused were formerly friends together in an opium business which was apparently illicit because it was raided at the beginning of this year. The two men remained acquainted however, after their business relations ceased. Accused, his wife, and a small boy who was related to them, lived in a front cubicle at 8, Gilman's Bazaar, and on April 21, the husband returned by the night boat from Macao where he had spent some days. He visited friends on his arrival in Hongkong and it was not until 3 a.m. that he returned home.

JEALOUS HUSBAND.

According to his own statement, accused discovered Li Hung in bed with his wife, the small boy also being in the cubicle. Li Hung would seek to give an innocent explanation of his presence there and would say that the woman had sent for him because he was going back to the country and she wanted him to take a message to her mother.

Without doubt, Lam Kan was jealous of his wife and suspected her, and his account of what followed was probably an honest account. He would say that he heard his wife telling Li Hung that her husband had not returned from the country, and that she added rather a disparaging nickname.

Accused became very angry and, going quietly down to the kitchen, he obtained two choppers, and returned to the cubicle. After an unsuccessful attempt to scale the partition he forced open the door and fell upon Li Hung with a chopper in each hand, inflicting several wounds on his head. The wife intervened and managed to hold her husband while the wounded man ran into the street but accused broke away, and continued the pursuit until he was stopped and arrested by a police reservist.

A LATE CALL.

In a statement made to the police continued Mr. Holmes accused had said that he had been married for several years and had come to Hongkong the previous year. Describing the events of the early morning he had said: "I walked up the stairs quietly and stood listening on the stairs for half an hour. I heard voices and laughing." He added that he had persuaded a man who wore wooden shoes to walk up the stairs with him so that his wife would be unable to recognise his tread. After the attack and the chase, he returned to the house with the policeman and saw Li Hung coming out of the house with some clothing under his arm. The injured man fell down with a cry that he was dying.

Dr. G. H. Thomas, of the Government Civil Hospital, said Li Hung had extensive though not very serious wounds on his head when admitted to the hospital.

In the witness box, Li Hung said he was asked to call at the house by Lam's wife but he did not recall the invitation until some hours after it was given and it was 2 a.m. when he got there. He was lying on the opium bed and the woman was lying on the other bed when accused burst into the room with a chopper in each hand and attacked him with a shout of "One of us must die!"

Chan Ying-pang, police reservist said he was on duty when he met a man covered with blood running down Aberdeen Street, chased by accused who was armed with two choppers.

The case is proceeding.

HAPPY VALLEY GOLF**DRAW FOR SUMMER FOURSOMES**

The following is the draw for the Happy Valley Golf Club's Summer Foursomes competition:

BYE INTO SECOND ROUND.

E. Lewis (4) and F. J. Bond (14) v. R. K. Valentine (9) and A. V. Greaves (17).

FIRST ROUND.

C. Mycock (15) and A. D. Humphreys (10) v. W. J. Shenton (15) and H. H. Mundy (10).

G. W. Tate (9) and W. Woodward (17) v. A. W. Torrible (13) and R. Ashby (17).

W. Fooks (18) and D. M. Goodall (17) v. C. W. Jeffries (17) and W. J. S. Key (16).

A. W. Hayward (17) and C. E. Moore (17) v. A. McKellar (8) and J. W. Mayhew (15).

L. Goldman (11) and A. Macfarlane (17) v. S. S. Cook (17) and J. L. Adams (17).

E. D. Matthews (8) and J. D. Kinnaird (11) v. A. Brooksbank (18) and G. T. May (17).

S. A. Sleaf (15) and W. M. Pittendree (17) v. R. C. Webb (17) and C. H. Bradley (9).

Cdr. E. M. Totley (6) and H. Hampton (10) v. A. C. Young (17) and A. E. Charman (11).

C. W. E. Bishop (15) and J. McKnight (9) v. C. Austin (17) and A. W. Hodges (17).

W. J. Waddington (17) and J. P. A. Davies (17) v. F. M. Ellis (14) and E. P. White (15).

J. Shepherd (18) and N. Drummond (14) v. C. Thwaites (16) and E. M. Hanlon (17).

J. A. R. Selby (8) and J. Harrop (17) v. A. V. Baker (18) and W. H. Edmonds (12).

R. S. W. Paterson (17) and A. W. Muir (17) v. A. G. Ursell (17) and H. T. Brooks (17).

BYE INTO SECOND ROUND.

H. Overy (17) and T. B. Low (13).

Handicaps over 6 at Fanling are reduced by one stroke.

First named pair in each bracket are responsible for arranging matches and first player in each pair should be his team manager.

First Round to be played on or before Sunday, July 9.

Second Round to be played on or before Sunday, July 23.

Third Round to be played on or before Sunday, August 6.

Semi-final to be played on or before Sunday, August 20.

Final to be played on or before Sunday, September 3.

ALLEGED THEFT OF SILVERWARE**COOLIE'S MOTHER TO ATTEND COURT**

Sub-inspector Shepherd charged Wan So (18) before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, with the larceny of a silver spoon, a silver fork and a silver handled knife from the Officers Mess, Mt. Austin Barracks.

The complainant was Corporal Sullivan, of the South Wales Borderers.

The prosecuting officer stated that defendant was employed in the Mess as a market coolie, and yesterday the Mess Corporal found the articles missing when he checked up the silverware.

He conducted a search of all the mess boys, and found the articles in the defendant's basket.

Defendant said he wanted the articles for his own use. He added that his parents were alive, and Mr. Schofield remanded the case until tomorrow so that his mother could attend Court.

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CIVIL SERVANT ROBBED**EX-EMPLOYEE CAUGHT AFTER 3 YEARS**

Tang Hok-chau was charged before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, for stealing \$505 and a gold watch and chain, the property of Mr. H. E. Strange, the well-known cricketer, in July, 1930.

The defendant was sentenced to three months' hard labour, Mr. Schofield remarking that it was no good making an order for restitution as defendant was destitute.

Acting Sub-Inspector O'Donovan said that about July, 1930, defendant was in the employ of Mr. Strange, who then resided at No. 127, Wong Nei Chung Road. Between July 4 and July 8 the defendant stole \$505 and the gold watch and chain from a drawer, which was unlocked, and absconded. He disposed of the watch to a goldsmith in Hongkong for \$60, and then with a friend went to Shum Chun.

He remained there for a night and then went to Namtau, where two Chinese, purporting that they were from the Namtau police, searched their bags, and decamped with the money.

The defendant was, therefore, left with nothing of his ill-gotten gains.

He remained in Namtau for some time, and came to Hongkong six months ago, when he was arrested on information received on June 14.

Mr. Strange had treated the defendant very well.

Defendant was in his employ for three years prior to the larceny. When Mr. Strange went on home leave, he paid defendant ten months' wages for the time he was away, and re-engaged him on his return.

The complainant had only been back fourteen months, when the defendant absconded.

RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS**COOLIE CAPTURED RED HANDED ON SHIP**

Two months' hard labour was this morning imposed by Mr. Schofield on Lam She, who pleaded guilty to a charge of receiving five silver spoons and a nickel watch, valued at \$50, from the a.s. Porthos, docked at Taitoo Docks, the property of 3rd Lt. MuC Yence.

Sub-inspector Logan said that the complainant was in his cabin about 3 p.m. yesterday, and had occasion to go outside for a few minutes. When he returned he found defendant in his cabin, holding the watch in one hand, and taking the spoons from his pocket. The defendant was a coolie attached to a paint gang in the Docks, and had no right to be on board.

SIX MONTHS FOR TEN CENTS**PICKPOCKET SENT TO GAOL**

With two previous convictions, one for theft and the other for burglary, Liu Fat, unemployed, was sent to prison for six months by Mr. Wynne-Jones in Court this morning, for stealing ten cents. Defendant was also placed under Police surveillance for a period of two years at the expiration of his prison term.

Defendant was among a crowd watching a hawk in Connaught Road Central. He was seen by a district watchman to extract the money from complainant's pocket.

BATCH OF TRAFFIC CASES**MILITARY DRIVER'S RESOURCE**

How the prompt action of the driver of a military motor lorry in swerving his lorry to the left avoided a serious collision in Victoria Road was related before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, when Sung Ho-lun, the driver of private car No. 1276, was summoned by Traffic-Sergeant Clarke for failing to keep to the left side of the road when taking a bend.

The military lorry was going along Victoria Road towards Aberdeen near Mt. Austin Barracks, and the defendant's car was coming from Aberdeen. Rounding a bend, the defendant drove his car to the centre of the road, and squeezed the military lorry to the hill side. The driver of the lorry had to scrape the bend to get clear. Inspector Alexander visited the scene and took measurements of the skid marks of the car.

The car left but 6½ feet for the lorry to get through, while there was 5ft. 9ins. left on the left side of the road by the front of the car and 8 ft. 9ins. by the rear part of the car. The damage to the motor lorry by scraping the bend was \$15, the front running board and the rear part of the front left mudguard being damaged. The defendant told the police that the skid marks were not from his car, but the driver of the lorry informed Sergeant Clarke after the incident that they were.

Defendant told the Court that he had to get to the centre of the road to avoid two woodcutters walking on the left.

Mr. Schofield imposed a fine of \$5 and ordered defendant to pay \$15 damages to the driver of the lorry.

Defendant.—The driver of the lorry swerved of his own accord. Mr. Schofield.—To avoid you, yes. He did not swerve for his own pleasure.

Dangerous Driving

Traffic-Sergeant Brittain summoned Leung Kwok-chuen, the driver of a taxicab with driving his cab in a dangerous manner in Garden Road.

It was stated that defendant cut in front of an omnibus, and had not the driver of the bus stopped, there might have been a serious accident. The defendant after cutting in front proceeded up Garden Road.

A fine of \$25 was imposed. Li Lam-muk, the driver of a public car was fined \$20 for driving at a dangerous speed at Whitfield. Sergeant Clarke said defendant was doing 22 miles per hour.

Dr. A. N. Jones, of the War Memorial Hospital was fined \$5 on a summons for causing an obstruction with his car outside the Peak Hotel Annex. Defendant who was absent last week, explained he had been away on holiday and received the summons yesterday.

Holding that it was dangerous to pedestrians and more so to oncoming traffic, his Worship imposed a fine of \$20 on a Chinese lorry driver who was summoned for dangerous driving. Sergeant Brittain said defendant was driving from east to west along Des Voeux Road Central and he was proceeding in the opposite direction. When outside Messrs. Whiteaway, Laidlaw's, the defendant suddenly crossed over to the right side of the road, and Sgt. Brittain had to swerve on to the tram lines to avoid a collision. Defendant's speed was between 15 and 20 m.p.h.

WAR ON PIRATES**CHINESE SHIPPING MEN'S PROTEST**

Nanking, June 19. Following the appeals of Chinese shipping companies, who are alarmed at the rampancy of pirates along the China coast, the Ministry of Communications has drawn the attention of the Ministry of the Navy, and of the Provincial Governments of Kiangsu, Fukien, Chekiang, Kwangtung and Shantung, to the necessity of joint action to round up the pirates.

Chinese shipping circles point out that while the coastal waters of Kwangtung were formerly notorious for pirates, the activities of these rovers have now spread as far North as Shantung and no fewer than five merchant vessels were pirated on the China coast between January and May.

It is hoped that a serious effort will be made by the government bodies concerned to stamp out the menace.—Reuter.

Anti-Bandit Drive.

Harbin, June 19. Official preparations for launching extensive anti-bandit drives in Kirin Province are now almost completed.—Reuter.

RADIO BROADCAST**RELAY OF THE S.W.B.'S BAND**

From Z. B. W., on wave length of 355 metres (84.5 k/c.).

4-5 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

5-6 p.m.

A relay of the Band of the 1st. Batin. South Wales Borderers, conducted by Bandmaster J. L. Gecks, from the Military Hospital, Bowen Road, by courtesy of the Officer Commanding.

6-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

7-10.30 p.m. European programme of Victor records.

7 p.m. (Closing Local) Stock Quotations, etc.).

7.3-8 p.m. A Concert.

Song—Ever of Thee I'm Fondly Dreaming (Linley-Hall).

Song—The Bells of St. Mary's (Furber-Adams).

Frances Alda (Soprano). 1176. Piano Solo—Reflections on the Water (Debussy).

Piano Solo—Song of Love (Stojowski).

Ignace Jan Paderewski. 6633. Song—June Brought the Roses (Stanley-Openshaw).

Song—When You and I Were Seventeen (Kahn-Rosoff).

John McCormack (Tenor). 1086. Violin Solo—From the Land of the Sky-Blue Water (Czadman-Kriesler).

Violin Solo—Aloha Oe (Liliuokalani-Kriesler).

Fritz Kreisler. 1115. Vocal Duet—I Know a Bank Whereon the Wild Thyme Blows (Shakespeare-Horn).

Olivia Kline and Elsie Baker. Vocal Duet—The Moon Has Rals'd Her Lamp Above (Benedict).

Royal Dadman and Lambert Murphy. 4085. Piano Solo—The Engulfed Cathedral (Debussy).

Piano Solo—Blagavanna (Lecuna). Olga Samaroff. 7304. Song—A Brown Bird Singing (Barrie-Haydn Wood).

Song—Mother, My Dear (Nolom-Trobarre).

John McCormack (Tenor). 1187. Violin Solo—Caprice, Antique (Balogh-Kreisler).

Violin Solo—Legend of the Canyon (Czadman).

Fritz Kreisler. 1093. 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.3-9.50 p.m. Operatic.

Band—Cavalleria Rusticana—Selection (Mascagni).

Creator's Band. 35815. Song—Il Trovatore—D'Amour Sull' Ali Rosce (Verdi).

Song—Aida—O Patria Mia (Verdi). Eva Turner. 12150. Band—Pearl Fishers—Selection (Bizet, arr. Creator).

Creator's Band. 38001/38002. Song—Aida—Heavenly Aida (Verdi). Song—Boheme—Rudolph's Narrative (Puccini).

Giovanni Marintelli (Tenor). 6595. Orchestral—Martha—Overture (Flotow).

Victor Symphony Orch. 33916. 9.50-10.27 p.m. Variety.

Duet for Two Pianos—Dance of the Paper Dolls.

Duet for Two Pianos—Ragamuffin. Victor Arden and Phil Ohman. 31920.

Vocal Gema—"Blackbirds of 1928." Orchestra—St. Louis Blues. Warren Mill's Blue Serenaders. 35952.

Organ Solo—Maria my Own. Organ Solo—Gibson.

Vocal Duet—If I Had a Girl Like You. Victor Arden and Phil Ohman. 31920.

Vocal Duet—Keep Your Skirts Down Mary Ann.

Aileen Stanley and Billy Murray. 10795. Orchestral—The Gang Song.

Orchestral—Cock D'Arle. George Olson and His Music. 22994. Banjo Solo—St. Louis Blues. Banjo Solo—Doll Dance.

Eddie Peabody. 20698. Song—You Try Somebody Else. Song—Call me Darling.

Russ Columbo (Baritone). 22861. Orchestral—Deep in Your Eyes. Orchestral—When the Sun Goes Down on a Little Prairie Town.

Wayne King and His Orch. 22980. 10.40-10.27 p.m. Orchestral.

Orchestral—Orpheus. Ballet—Dance of the Sprits (Gluck-Mottl). Detroit Symphony Orch. 6834.

Afternoon of a Faun (Debussy). Philadelphia Symphony Orch. 6090. Academic Festival Overture (Brahms).

Detroit Symphony Orch. 6833. Vienna Blood (Strauss). Voices of Spring (Strauss).

Boston Symphony Orch. 8008. Omphale's Spinning Wheel (Saint-Saens).

Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra of New York. 7000. Bolero in D Major (Mozzkowski).

Spanish Dance in G Minor (Mozzkowski). Victor Concert Orchestra. 22760.

10.27 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.30 p.m. Close Down.

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KOWLOON PLAYER'S 57 AGAINST SOMERSET STRAGGLERS

LOCAL CRICKETERS HOLD THEIR OWN

13 RUNS IN ARREARS ON THE
FIRST INNINGS

BRILLIANT BOWLING BY BECK

(Our Own Correspondent).

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London, June 19.

THE representative Hongkong cricket team, composed of local players on Home leave, began their June tour of the West to-day, when they met Somerset Stragglers in a two-day match.

At the close of the first day's play, Hongkong were 13 in arrears on the first innings, making a score of 157 in reply to the Stragglers' 170.

The match is being played on the Somerset county ground at Taunton.

A. C. Beck of the Hongkong Cricket Club, and prominent Interpreter, together with F. S. W. Smith, the K.C.C. batsman, and D. J. N. Anderson of the University, carried off the honours of the day so far as the visitors were concerned.

Beck bowled brilliantly after the Stragglers had placed 60 on the board without loss, and finally returned an analysis of 8 for 53.

Coming quickly off the pitch, the Hongkong fast bowler demolished the Somerset men, and after the lunch interval, the whole of the team was dismissed for an additional 110 runs.

BAD START.

J. E. Richardson and D. J. N. Anderson opened the Hongkong innings, but the Civil Service batsman was quickly sent back after scoring a single.

A useful partnership between Anderson and E. J. R. Mitchell, the Hongkong Cricket Club and Interpreter captain, and skipper of the touring side, saw the total improved.

Mitchell left after contributing a useful 18. A. C. Beck came along with a steady ten runs, but Frank Lawrence of the K.C.C. failed, being

dismissed for a single.

After this F. S. W. Smith fairly collared the attack hitting brilliantly all round the wicket to score 57 before being sent back.

E. V. Reed was the only player to register a "duck", and small contributions by B. D. Evans, E. W. Hamilton, C. E. R. Clarabut and G. Hamilton helped the total along to 157, thirteen short of the Stragglers' aggregate.

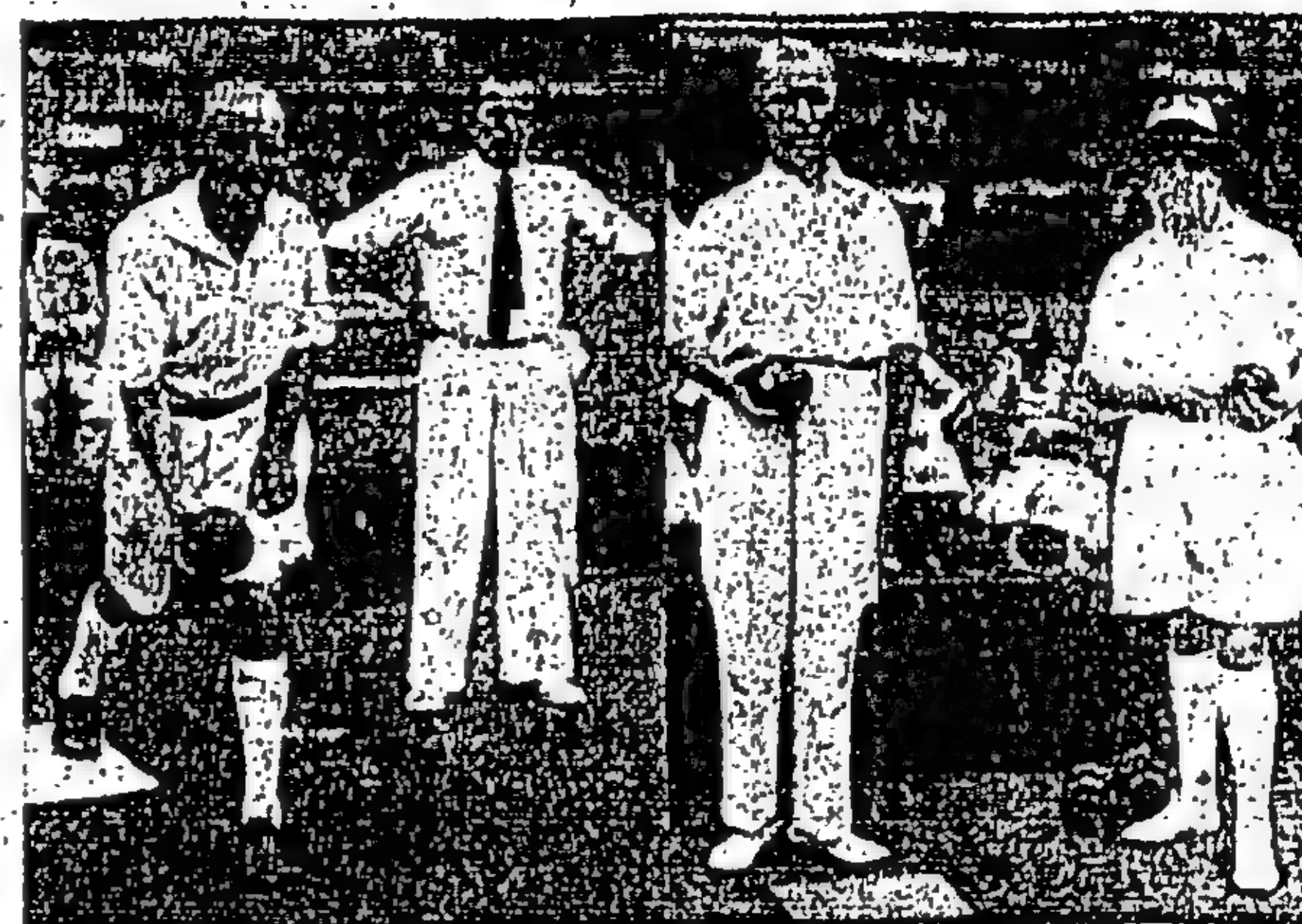
SCORE.

The individual scores of the Hongkong team were:

J. E. Richardson (C.S.C.C.)	1
D. J. N. Anderson (University)	18
E. J. R. Mitchell (H.K.C.C.)	46
A. C. Beck (H.K.C.C.)	57
F. S. W. Smith (K.C.C.)	1
F. S. W. Smith (K.C.C.)	57
E. V. Reed (C.S.C.C.)	0
B. D. Evans (C.S.C.C.)	5
E. W. Hamilton (C.S.C.C.)	3
G. E. R. Clarabut (University)	7
G. Hamilton	3
Extras	6
Total	157

The match will be continued to-day, and the rest of the programme is as follows:

June 22 v South Devon at Newton Abbot
June 25 v Men O Mendip at Wells
June 28 and 29 v Devon Dumps on Exeter county ground
June 30 v Sidmouth at Sidmouth



FOR BOWLS TITLE—Six of yesterday's competitors in the second round of the lawn bowls championship. Top (left) G. E. Roylance (with wood) and J. F. McGowan; T. Hard and A. F. Paul below; N. J. Bebbington and A. W. Grimmit. (Photos: Ming Yuen).

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CHAMPIONSHIP BOWLS

LATEST RESULTS

A. W. Grimmit, J. F. McGowan, R. P. Phillips (Civil Service C.C.) and A. F. Paul (Hongkong Electric) were winners in the second round of the lawn bowls singles championship yesterday.

Grimmit accounted for Bebbington far easier than was generally expected. He went to his points when Bebbington was still on the five mark. Grimmit played steady bowls throughout and always had a better shot for Bebbington's best.

Phillips did well to beat his club-mate Armstrong, although only five points separated the contestants at the close. Phillips produced his most telling shots at the right time and succeeded in holding on to a valuable lead.

The third success of the day for Civil Service was obtained by McGowan, who overcame G. E. Roylance of the Bowling Green Club. Although McGowan won 21-12 the contest was keen and several splendid heads featured the game. A. F. Paul of the Electric played reliable and consistent bowls to beat T. Hard by five shots.

RESULTS.

A. W. Grimmit beat N. J. Bebbington 21-5
R. P. Phillips beat T. Armstrong 21-16
J. F. McGowan beat G. E. Roylance 21-12
A. F. Paul beat T. Hard 21-16

TO-DAY'S MATCHES.

R. Hall v A. S. Gomes
R. Ellis v J. C. Brown (K.C.C. Green)
A. Hyde-Lay v L. E. Lammert (Police Green)
A. M. Holland v J. S. Logan (K.B.G.C. Green)

LAST OF SECOND ROUND TIES

COMPLETE LIST OF MATCHES

The following is the complete list of games to be played in the second round of the open singles lawn bowls championship:

JUNE 22.

F. L. Rapley v E. C. Fincher (Recrolo Green)
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JUNE 26.

J. Purvis v F. V. Field
A. E. Cones v T. Ferguson (Police Green)
D. Rumjahn v U. M. Omar
W. Wotherspoon v T. V. Ramsay (Craigengower Green)

JUNE 27.

J. Cavanagh v E. M. Remedios (Bowling Green Club)

JUNE 28.

R. Baga v H. Gittens
J. F. Lunney v H. Hampton (Police Green)
E. G. Searle v N. Drummond
J. Watson v L. le Rome (Craigengower Green)

JUNE 29.

S. Eccleshall v V. C. Labrum (Police Green)

The Hon. Secretary of the Lawn Bowls League reminds clubs that the second round of the Spay Royal Cup must be completed by July 20.

J. Satoh (Japan) beat J. Crawford 3-0, 6-3, 6-1, 1-6, 6-2
England v Czechoslovakia —at Eastbourne
G. P. Hughes and F. J. Perry (Gt. Britain) beat R. Menzel and Marsalek 6-3, 6-4, 6-4

LATEST SCORES.

The latest scores as cabled by Router are:
Australia v Japan—At Paris.
R. Nuno (Japan) beat V. McGrath 6-4, 6-4, 6-8, 7-5.

YESTERDAY'S TENNIS

C.R.C., I.R.C., K.C.C., AND S. CHINA WIN WITH EASE

YEW MAN KIT BACK AGAIN

(By "Veritas")

With the exception of the Hongkong Cricket Club v C.R.C. "B" match, called off owing to the Club round being closed, a full programme of matches was played in the "A" Division on the tennis league yesterday, the results working out in accordance with expectations.

South China, playing two home matches, were successful in one, but hopelessly outplayed in the other. The K.C.C. and I.R.C. scored comfortable victories.

TO-DAY'S TENNIS.

The following programme is arranged for "B" Division teams in the tennis league this afternoon.

I.R.C. v C.R.C.
—at Sookunpo
University v C.S.C.C.
—at Pokfulam
S.C.A.A. v K.C.C.
—at King's Park
Recrolo v H.K.C.C.
Graduates v U.S.R.C.

The Chinese Recreation Club champions team were without the services of M. W. Lo, but Yew Man-kit, who before the start of the season, announced his retirement from league tennis, came in to partner M. K. Lo, and the pair won two out of three sets.

The South China second string were completely outclassed; Ho Ka-lau and Tsui Wai-pui, together with W. C. Hung and Chiu Chun-chiu winning all three sets.

On the other hand, South China "A" who created a sensation by defeating the I.R.C. in the first match of the season, gave a further illustration of their potentialities when they overhauled the University to win by nine clear sets.

With the Indians having already dropped a couple of points, it would appear that the championship will depend on the result of the game between the C.R.C. and South China first strings.

RECREIO'S BRAVE SHOW.

The Club de Recrolo had to include C.A. Noronha, a "B" Division player in the team against the K.C.C., but the homesters were vastly superior and won with ease.

The Fincher brothers, having overcome A.V. and F. J. Remedios, the Portuguese strongest pair, in the first round, found nothing to stop them and they carried off three sets.

C.C. IMPROVE.

Craigengower gave a much better account of themselves at Sookunpo than their display against the Recrolo a fortnight ago suggested possible.

Howard and Hachuma struck

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SUZANNE LENGLEN WANTS £10,000 TO PLAY

NO CHANCE OF MATCH WITH MRS. WILLS MOODY

Paris, May 25.

"I shall be willing to play Mrs. Helen Wills Moody a lawn tennis match, but on my own terms. They are money terms, and I must make a fortune out of it."

This statement was made by Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen at the French Lawn Tennis Championships to-day, where she was an animated spectator.

The first intimation she had that a match had been suggested between her and the famous United States champion, Mrs. Wills Moody, was when asked whether she intended to play or not.

"But you know, it cannot be," she said, "for now I am a professional, and the rules do not permit an amateur and a professional to play each other except with the consent of the Lawn Tennis Federation."

"Suppose," she was asked, "such sanction were given, would you then be willing to play this match?" She paused for a moment, and then said she would.

"I HAVE HAD ENOUGH."

"It would have to be for heaps of money, though—something worth my while," she said, "for why, otherwise, should I play Mrs. Wills Moody? She would have all to gain and nothing to lose, and besides, I do not want to play any more match tennis—I have had enough."

Whether anyone is willing to put up sufficient money for the match it cannot be said but it was found out from a member of the French Federation that the feeling is all against permission being given, even if it were sought.

Paris, May 26.

Frenchmen to-day were agreed that Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen is right in insisting upon "making a fortune" out of the suggested lawn

tennis match between Mrs. Helen Wills Moody, the United States champion, and herself.

SUZANNE'S RIGHT.

"It is Mlle. Lenglen's right to ask for a fortune, seeing that she has made the game her profession," said a French official, but he added: "I don't see any promise of the match taking place, as permission is not likely to be granted by the French Lawn Tennis Federation, and there is no one nowadays with enough money to spare for such a venture."

A French sports promoter said: "It is not for me to offer advice to other promoters, but I do strongly advise Mr. Jeff Dickson, the boxing promoter, to try to arrange the match. It would pay him as well as Mlle. Lenglen."

"It is understood that if Mlle. Lenglen will accept £10,000 an arrangement might be made to provide, of course, that the French federation will permit the match."

HER DAY IS PAST.

Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen's offer caused considerable surprise in English lawn tennis circles.

"The suggestion is ridiculous," declared Mr. H. Roper Barrett, a council member of the Lawn Tennis Association, to a reporter. "It will never take place," he said. "There are too many factors against it. Besides, Suzanne's day is past."

"If they did meet, Mrs. Wills Moody would 'knock her head off.'"

Mr. Roper Barrett added that if it were proposed to play the game in England, "such an event would be adequately covered by the rule which forbids an amateur to play a professional without written permission of the council."

Actually the proposal is the direct concern of the United States L.T.A. They have only to forbid Mrs. Wills Moody from playing and the match is dead.

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LONDON STOCK
PRICES

MARKET QUIET

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters. The market: apart from a few exceptions the market is quiet.

June 17. June 20.

Chinese Bonds

4½% Bonds 1893 (Eng. Iss.)	£100	£100
4½% Loan 1908	£83	£83
5% Loan 1912	£58	£59
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£85	£85½
5% Bonds 1925-47	£97½	£97½
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£35-40	£35-39
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£15-25	£15-25
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£12-22	£12-22
5% Shai-Hang- chow-Ningpo Rly.	£75-80	£75-80
5% Honan Rly.	£5-10	£5-10
5% Hukwang Rly. 1911	£23-28½	£27
5% Lung Taiing U. Hai Rly. 1913	£9-14	£9-14

Foreign Bonds and Banks

German 7%		
Internat. Loan 1924	80	79½
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907A	£80½	£80½
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1924	£90	£89½
Industrials & Breweries		
Associated Elec. Industries	17/3	17/3
Brit.-Amer. Tob.	105/7½	105/-
Chinese Eng. & Min.	33/0	35/-
J. & P. Coats	56/0	56/0
Courtaulds	33/4½	33/7½
Distillers	58/3	58/6
Dunlop Rubber	29/6	29/6
Everready	27/-	27/-
General Elec.	42/-	41/0
Guinness	88/0	80/-
Impl. Chem. In- dustries	26/4½	26/1½
Impl. Tobacco	101/-	100/0
International Tea Stores	28/4½	28/6
Internat. Nickel	£20	£21½
Pinchin Johnson	29/6	29/6
Turner & Newall	29/6	29/3
Unilever	27/-	27/6
Miscellaneous		
Anglo Dutch	14/3	14/6
Burma Corp.	14/-	13/10½
Canadian Pacific		
Ely	£18	£19½
Gula Kalumpung		
Rubber	14/3	14/3
Trepca Mines	12/6	12/4½
Langlangto		
Estates	28/-	27/3
London Tin	13/1½	12/10½
Rubber Trusts	19/0	19/3
Shai. Elec. Constr.	53/3	53/6
Van Ryn Deep	31/3	30/7½
Oils		
Anglo-Persian Oil	37/3	37/6
Burma Oil	67/6	68/1½
Royal Dutch	£19½	£19½
Shell Trans & Trnd.	47/6	48/0

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AND SILVERLATEST NEW YORK
QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchange for yesterday.

Cotton.		
Opening	Closing	Range
July	9.10-9.15	9.23-9.25
October	9.38-9.43	9.50-9.51
December	9.58-9.61	9.65-9.66
January	9.66-9.67	9.70-9.71
March	9.81-9.80	9.87-9.87
May	9.92-9.92	10.02-10.02
Spot		9.85
Wheat		
Chicago	70½	69½
September	78½	
October	80½	68½
December		70
Silver		
July		36.25
September		36.80
December		37.00

Total sales for the day:		
3,000,000 ozs.	6,100,000 ozs.	
(120 Contracts)	(244 Contracts)	

AN INCURSION INTO
PADDY'S MARKET

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But a veil had best be drawn over the subsequent happenings.

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.

H'kong Banks, \$1760 80.	
H'kong Banks, London, £130 n.	
Chartered Bank, £14½ n.	
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. £24½ n.	
Mercantile Bank C., £9½ n.	
East Asia, \$98 n.	
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.	
China O. Fin. Ord., Sh. \$5.40 n.	
China O. Fin. Pref., Sh. \$5.00 n.	

Insurances.

Canton Ins., \$300 n.	
Union Ins., \$530/35 80.	
China Underwriters, £2.40 n.	
China Fire, \$595 n.	
H.K. Fire Ins., \$270 n.	
International Assee, Sh. \$4.75 n.	

Shipping.

Douglas, \$32.60 b.	
H.K. Steamboats, \$18 n.	
Indo-China, (Pref.), \$30 b.	
Indo-China, (Laf.), \$32½ n.	
Shells (Boat), \$48/0 n.	
Union Waterboats, \$15 n.	

Mining.

Benguet, \$33 n.	
Kallans, 35/- n.	
Langkats (Single), Sh. \$17 n.	
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$2½ n.	
Shai Loans, Sh. \$5 n.	
Ruhs, \$10 n.	
Venz, Goldfields, \$4½ b.	
Benguet Exp., 29 cts. b.	

Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, \$128 n.	
H.K. Docks, \$16½ b. and sa.	
S. China Motors A., \$10 n.	
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.	
Providents (old), \$3.95 b.	
Providents (new), \$1.40 n.	
Hongkows, Sh. \$384 n.	
New Engineering, Sh. \$8 n.	
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$148½ n.	

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. & S. Hotels, \$7.05 b.	
H.K. Lands, \$76½ b.	
Shai Lands, Sh. \$32½ n.	
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.	
Humphreys, \$13.90 b.	
H.K. Realities, \$8 n.	
Asia Realities "A" Sh. \$140 n.	
Asia Realities "B" Sh. \$20 n.	
Chinese Estates \$97 n.	
China Realities, Sh. \$14½ n.	
China Debentures Sh. \$137 n.	

Cotton Mills.

Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$14½ b.	
Shai Cottons, Sh. \$109 n.	
Zoong Sings, Sh. \$14 n.	
Wing On Textiles (S) \$97 n.	

Public Utilities.

Tramways, \$21.65 b.	
Peak Trams, (old), \$15.85/½ 80.	
Peak Trams, (new), \$7½ n.	
Star Ferries, \$92 b.	
Yaumati Ferries (old), 28½ n.	
China Lights (old), \$13 b.	
China Lights, (new), \$12½ n.	
H.K. Electric, \$73½ b.	
Macao Electric, \$33 n.	
Sandakan Lights, \$10½ n.	
Telephones (old), \$29.50 b.	
China Buses, Sh. \$11½ n.	
Singapore Traction, 1/- n.	
Singapore Pref., 13/- n.	

Industrials.

Malabon Sugars \$15 n.	
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$20 n.	
Cald: Macg. (Prof.), Sh. \$16 n.	
Canton Ice, \$8 n.	
Cements (Com.), \$7.55 b.	
Cements (old), \$6.40 n.	
Cements (new), \$1½ n.	
H.K. Ropes, \$9 n.	

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$27½ n.	
Watsons, \$10 n.	
Der A Wings, \$1 n.	
Lane Crawfords, \$4.85 n.	
McKintoshs, \$21 n.	
Sinceres, \$14 n.	
Wm. Powells, \$2.10 n.	
Wing On (H.K.), \$185 n.	

Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$12½ n.	
H.K. Entertainments, \$12½ n.	
S.C. Enterprises, \$8½ n.	
United Theatres, Sh. \$3 n.	
Macao "Greyhounds," \$10 n.	
Constructions (old), \$4 n.	
Constructions (new), \$1 n.	
B. Ind. G. Bonds, 70% n.	
H.K. Govt. Loans, 8½% b. Prem.	
Wallace Harpers, \$8 n.	

NEW YORK STOCK
EXCHANGEYESTERDAY'S MARKET
STRONG

According to Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was strong yesterday. Business done: 2,280,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal reports: The market scored widest advance since March 15th with gains ranging more than 9 points due to a sharp decline in delay in the World Economic Conference to agree to stabilization and also due to favourable business news, strong grain and cotton prices. Grains were strong owing to reports of damage to crops in the spring wheat belt and cotton prices advanced due to the Government's reduction plan.

Dow-Jones averages:

	June 17	June 19
30 Industrials	90.23	95.99
20 Rails	41.67	44.73
20 Utilities	33.39	36.26
40 Bonds	84.18	84.66
Allied Chem.	112½	117
Dye	18	20½
Allis Chalmers	88	92
American Can	14½	17½
Amer. & For. Pow.	16½	18½
American Metal	30½	34½
American Smelting	125½	131½
American Tel. & Tel.	80½	89½
American Tobacco	35	39½
Amoco	14½	16½
Atlas Corporation	18	17½
Auburn Automobiles	58½	65½
Baltimore & Ohio	20	22½
Bethlehem Steel	32½	35½
Borden Company	33½	35½
Borg Warner	17	18½
Canadian Pacific	14½	16½
Case, J.I.	75½	84½
Chase National Bank	30	31½
Chesapeake Cor- poration	37	39½
Chrysler	28	32
Columbia Gas & Electric	23½	26½
Consolidated Gas of New York	67½	69½
Corn Products	71½	75½
Douglas Aircraft	16	18½
Drug Inc.	52½	55½
Dia Ford de Nemours	72	77½
Eastman Kodak	79	83
Electric Bond & Share	33½	38½
General Electric	22	23½
General Foods	35½	38½
General Motors	20½	28½
General Railway	33½	35½
Gold Ditch	21½	23
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	33	35½
International Cement	32½	34½
International Har- vester	36½	40
International Nickel	16½	18
International Tel. & Tel.	15½	18½
Johns Manville	45	52
Kennecott Copper	18½	20
Lehman Corporation	65	69½
Liggett & Myers	80	93½
Loew's Inc.	21	22½
Lorillard P.	20½	22½
Montgomery Ward	21½	24½
National City Bank	33	35½
New York Central	36½	39½
North American Co.	31½	34
Pacific Gas & Electric	27½	30½
Pennsylvania Rail- road	20½	28½
Phillips Petroleum	13½	14½
Public Service of N.J.	51½	53½
Reynolds Tobacco	43	44½
Sears Roebuck	32½	34½
Shell Union	7	8
Simmons Company	18½	18
Socoy - V a c u u m Corporation	10½	12
Southern Cal. Edison	24	26
Standard Gas & Electric	17½	20½
Standard Oil Co. of N. J.	35½	37½
Texas Corporation	21½	22½
Texas Gulf Sulphur	20½	20½
Union Carbide & Carbon	38½	40½
Union Pacific	108½	110
United Aircraft & Trans.	30½	33½
United Corporation	11½	13½
United Gas Im- provement	21½	23
U.S. Rubber	12½	14½
U.S. Steel	53½	57½
Universal Leaf Tobacco	45½	47½
Westinghouse E. & M.	42½	46½
Woolworth	42	44

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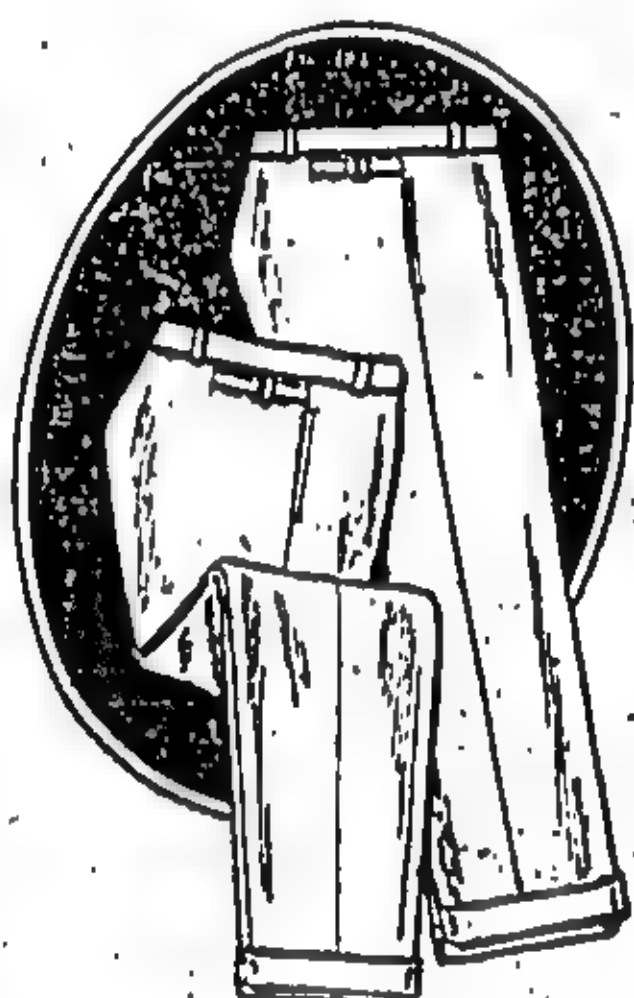
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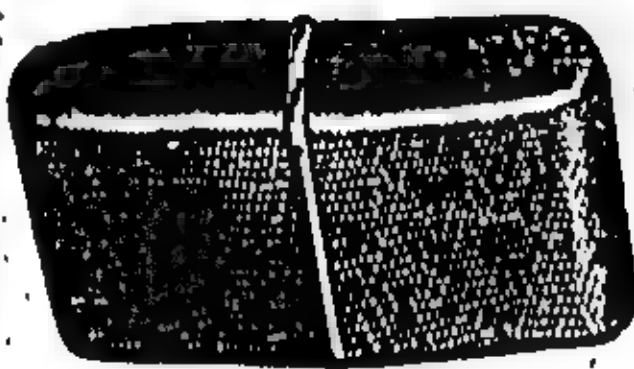
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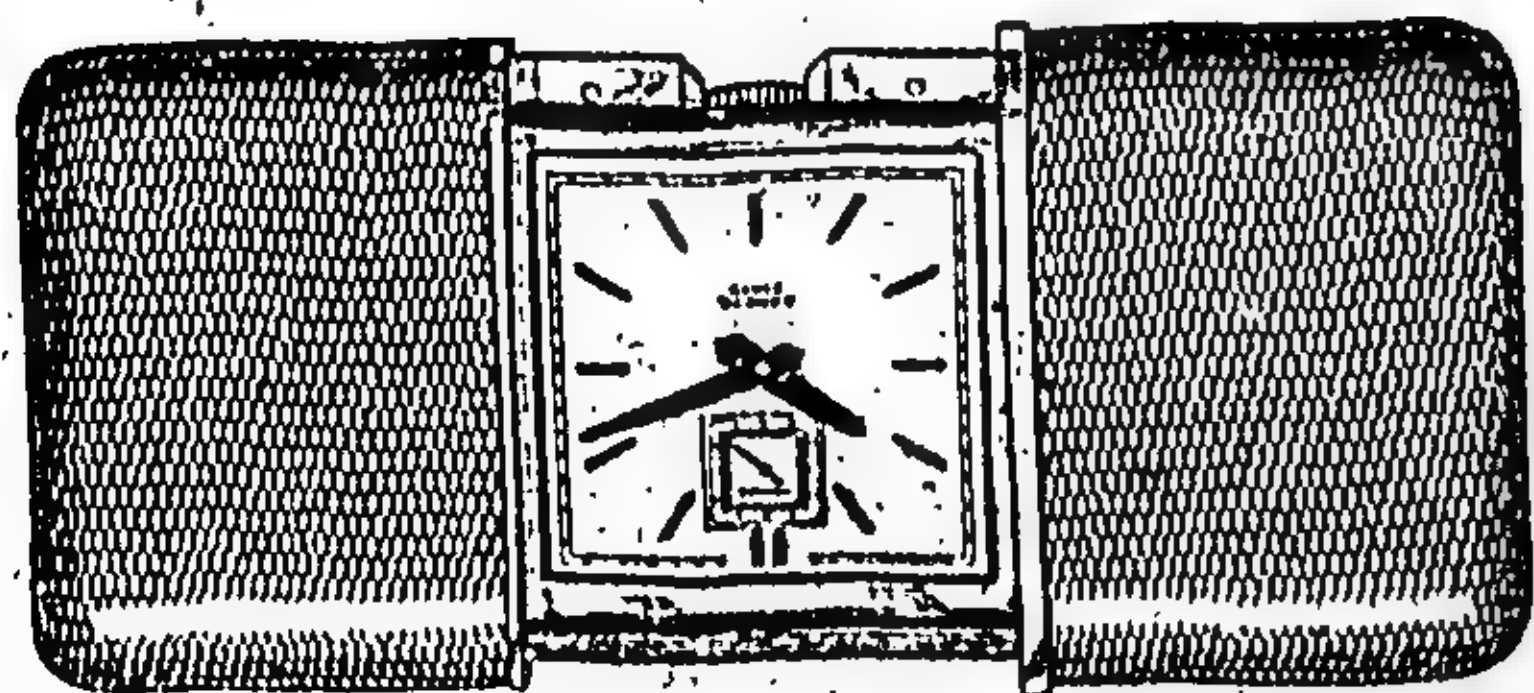
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STABILITY OF CURRENCIES

While the motives governing President Roosevelt's refusal to consider pegging the dollar are readily understood, the example set is far from good. It invites all other nations participating in the World Economic Conference to consider their own interests, wholly and solely. It stultifies Mr. Cordell Hull's programme of international cooperation. Behind the official statement issued in Washington, can be seen signs of a grim struggle now going on between the dollar and the pound. The United States appears to be bent upon achieving an exchange nearer the old parity rate of 4.86, while Britain's financial authorities are exploiting the exchange equalisation account to its full extent to prevent the pound from appreciating. No other explanation can be offered for the rapid climb of the pound last week to 4.18 and its descent by the week's end to round about 4.05. While such a currency war is going on, there is little hope for any real progress. Once again, it becomes obvious that those who have control of monetary policies in the leading nations of the world possess a mentality which is divorced from questions of human need. Once again, the need for an international currency becomes more urgent. The necessity of it could never clearly be seen while there remained a number of national currencies which, based on gold, could be regarded as fixed quantities. While it was possible to trade in money which had a known, dependable value, local fluctuations had only a relative importance. The Russian, the German, the Austrian debacles after the war were undoubtedly disastrous, but they could still be regarded as exceptional phenomena. The majority of the world's currencies were comparatively unaffected, and it was possible to take steps to restore some stability in most of the countries which had passed through a monetary crisis. But presently it was seen that that upheavals were becoming general. The French franc, the Italian lira and other currencies slumped badly, and there was a good deal of uncertainty before they were consolidated at a rate much lower than that which formerly prevailed. An unprecedented opportunity was

offered to speculators who took advantage of the irregularities of the monetary situation in various countries. Their action complicated conditions which were already sufficiently inimical to the normal conduct of commerce. There remained some of the principal moneys of the world as landmarks in the financial tempest. The pound was deemed secure and furnished a satisfactory measure. Then it, too, succumbed, complicating trade and adding to the sense of instability. It was still consoling to think the dollar safe. Finally the dollar was detached from its moorings, and though in the meantime other currencies had recovered their bearings, this completed the shattering of world confidence in currency stability. It is now that the theoretical advantages of an international money that will stay put are converted into definite and immediate practical advantages. The discussions of the economists have come into the realm of political possibilities. The time has come to ask what reason can be urged against the issue of a stated number of secured notes, indorsed by such a body as the Bank for International Settlements. These existing side by side with the national currencies, but independent of those national currencies, could be relied upon to keep their agreed value, and would constitute a permanent legal tender from country to country, thus satisfying the legitimate interests of international trade. The scheme, of course, implies that national currencies will be stabilised and will have a large domestic utility. But an international currency, based on the gold standard, would nevertheless possess an indispensable value in foreign exchanges of all kinds. It would restore a confidence which has been badly shattered, and it would facilitate the flow of goods and help in the revival of prosperity. The world is capable of producing everything which the world needs; but everywhere there are obstacles to the proper distribution of the world's goods. In this distribution few things would help more greatly in the right direction than the institution of an international currency.

Trade Dams on the Danube

Continued ineffectiveness of plans for commercial co-operation along the Danube, and the ever-mounting tariff walls which have almost stopped trade there and promoted the partial bankruptcy of eight states, lend particular attention to the celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the customs union among the Germanic states. In 1833, eighteen states with 23,000,000 inhabitants removed the bars from their customs frontiers—letting trade flow freely along all the natural highways. Thus was inaugurated an era of prosperity which the Germans had never before experienced. Previously there had been thirty-eight trade districts, each walled off from its neighbours. "Tariff bars there were as thick as telegraph poles are now." Along the Rhine from Strassburg to Holland there were thirty customs houses. Boats had to stop at least once an hour, often crossing from one side of the river to the other. Travellers passed through ten states in going from Hamburg to Vienna. It took much time and constant efforts for wise leaders to bring all these independent states into a single economic unit. But when this was finally accomplished, the advantages of the unification were clear to all. It is plain now that the unprecedented crisis in central and southeast Europe is due in no small degree to the complete lack of economic unity existing here. State barriers have annihilated trade. Political ambitions have blocked economic forces. And all the nations are suffering from the resulting state of affairs. The most hopeful aspect appears to be that each new difficulty provides an additional demonstration of the need of ultimate co-operation.

AN INCURSION INTO PADDY'S MARKET

A REVELATION OF HONGKONG'S GREATEST SPOOFERS.

By C. V.-L. for the Telegraph

WE noticed the other day that a Hongkong clergyman while showing a newcomer "the sights" made a discovery as remarkable as it was fortuitous—he found in "Paddy's Market" a chased metal vase previously stolen from beside its twin on the Cathedral War Memorial pedestal.

Our own experience has tended to a state of mind where we find it impossible to view these denouements of the "Market" with any marked degree of surprise; and if sometime in the future we are informed that the whole Memorial—foundations and all—has by some magic associated with an Arabian Nights tale been bodily transported to that quarter, we shall still refuse to be properly astonished.

"Render to Caesar the things which are Caesar's, and to God the things which are God's," and once the rights of ownership have been clearly readjusted in a spiritual light, as in this instance, it is suggested that we need not be shocked by some heathen souls having been led astray in Paddy's Market.

OUR TENDER RECOLLECTIONS.

Let it be stated rightaway that our recollections of Paddy's Market are of a character the most tender, and when we sometimes have occasion to reproach it for its indiscretions, in so far forgetting itself as to appropriate things which are not its own; it is to speak to a spoiled child, with the spoiled child's aptitude for peccadilloes, but which in other and meritorious ways has found a settled place in our affections.

Who has, it is suggested, not known Paddy's Market and not understood it as it should be understood—a place where to pass an afternoon of endless bargaining in an atmosphere redolent of a variety of obnoxious odours, but promoting the best in the Oriental fondness for discussing a bargain?

True, the subject of half-an-hour's talk and gesticulation may not have been worth the time and trouble from the point of view of its intrinsic value, but it is the liking on the one side for fooling, and an agreeable disposition on the other to be fooled (this for the sake of being entertained by a whole thesis expounded) which give this enjoyable zest not to be derived from other business transactions.

If time therefore is of no object, we should like to take you with us to-day for an incursion into this repository for the flotsam and jetsam of the Colony, and for other things as well which are not quite such but of which the origin, tact and the natural courtesy expected in all of us, preclude from discussion.

We have not yet lived down the memory of the pain and reproach in that dignified look of Ah Wong, leading Paddy's Market dealer, when in a moment of indiscretion we enquired where he got a Parker Duofold which had appeared to us to be so new.

WE ARE IN PADDY'S MARKET.

An astounding collection of old bottles, of discarded milk and biscuit tins, of battered pots and pans,

intrudes itself upon the attention from every hand, and gives the impression that the rag picker and the scrap-metal dealer (out here they expect and are courteously given the title of marine hawkers) have done their work only too thoroughly. But we need not be discouraged by these mundane things the Chinese housekeeper has deemed too good to be thrown away and for which a commercial value has been found. It is only in delving beneath an unprepossessing exterior that we can find something of utility, if ever so slight, by which to be introduced into the mysteries of Paddy's Market.

Of course, as has been pointed out, we are not to commit that *faux pas* so often perpetrated by the inexperienced—insisting on knowing what it is that is so sedulously preserved within the privacy of the cockpit, beneath the counter, or on the floor above, where the shopkeeper resides with his family. These things we usually don't do, because they are never done in the best of Paddy's Market, business circles. Rather we are to understand we have not qualified to an unreserved confidence, and so for the present must confine our interest to the different knick-knacks on show in the main tray.

These attain to a considerable range, and may include anything between the Jack knife of all work, and a 15-jewel Tavannes watch.

A FIRST DIFFICULTY.

Your first difficulty, if unexperienced in the matter of values, is encountered at the very outset. For the Tavannes—surely a desirable acquisition for everybody—you are tentatively asked to say how much you think it is worth. In other words, how much would you be prepared to meet the shopkeeper on a bargain?

And it is from this very early stage that your respect for Paddy's Market and the people who run it, begins. Most people when caught on this embarrassing point—and the dealer's courteous air of expectancy absolutely precludes the idea, should we be so insincere as to entertain it, of backing out—would have blurted out a figure, and possibly live to rue his generosity. The quickness with which their offer is accepted and the article wrapped up give no time for reconsideration, and they leave with the sickly thought of having once again been done by Paddy's Market.

THE LURE OF UNCERTAINTY.

On the other hand it is this element of uncertainty, this determined wariness against a reputable set of bargainners, which gives Paddy's Market its greatest allure, even though we know it is not all gold which glitters and that the treasured article we have wrested from it as a "bargain" may turn out to be a dress. They are truly wise who go there not so much as a prospective purchaser, but as one bent on exploring its fullest intricacies—the artifices of workmanship by which dilapidated articles are restored by the magic of varnish, wax or glue to an appearance of newness not allied with durability.

Knowing our Paddy's Market (Continued on Page 5.)



"Can't you do something, Mamma? Every time I have a date, Dad starts selling him shares."

The Very Idea!

HONGKONG HISTORY.
By Edward Kelly, Historian.

A morning contemporary, we notice, has started a Historical Club in order to dig up some of the skeletons in the local cupboard.

We know lots about the secret history of Hongkong, so we are going to lend our assistance to this worthy object.

The origin of Hongkong is lost in antiquity. According to some writers the origin of Hongkong night life has also been lost in inquiry.

The first night out in Hongkong took place about a hundred years ago. Well do we remember the occasion. The original refreshment bar stood on the site now occupied by the Hongkong Hotel, with a number of original customers in the process of receiving original refreshments.

Those were the days before America became uncivilized, so there were no such things as cocktails or martinis. Instead they drank rum.

History does not record how much rum they had to drink before they got sozzled, but we have it on the best of authority from Pete Watkins, who was present as a child in arms, that he well remembers his great grandfather falling into the harbour and being fished out by a sampan, after a three day bout.

Another point of historical interest is the fact that, either in 1877 or 1878, there was an acute water shortage in Hongkong.

Plans were prepared for the construction of a dam at Shing Mun, and the newspapers of the day remarked that, with its completion, Hongkong would always have plenty of water.

In more recent history the most momentous period in Hongkong was when the dollar rose to six bob and the price of beer went down to fifty cents. There were celebrations throughout the land, and people flocked from all over China to Hongkong.

For the information of future historians we want to point out, before we end, that Edward Kelly arrived in Hongkong early in 1932.

It is a significant fact that, coinciding with the arrival of this celebrated journalist, an enormous fire-cracker display was staged by local Chinese residents.

In recording the incident, the local newspapers, mainly through jealousy, stated that the Chinese were celebrating their New Year.

OUR BID FOR THE 100.

Healthy people all like to think that they will carry off the first prize for longevity. They class their prospect of centenarianism as what they vulgarly call a "dead cert." They have only to sit down and wait till it comes along. So, in their folly, these poor creatures think.

But what, as our political friends say, are the facts? The facts are, that the healthy ones almost always fall by the way, as a result of presuming too much on their physical fitness, whereas the so-called ranks of sturdy centenarians are composed almost exclusively of chronic invalids whose lives had been given up by the doctors and by expectant relatives at least a dozen times, and who, according to all laws of health and reason, should have perished at birth.

Conscious of their duty to posterity, they preferred to hang on life, and we challenge the health fiends to name a single great man who did not belong to this category. The plain truth is that greatness and good health are incompatible. This much being proved, the folly of fresh air, hiking, sun baths, morning jerks, pneumonia blouses, and other health fads of the day will be apparent to all. Eat, drink and be merry if you want to live to a hundred.

THE IRISH WAY.

We like the action of the Irish Judge who, the other day, on being informed by the foreman of the jury that its verdict was one of "Not guilty," thereupon expressed his contempt for the good men and true and gave the prisoner a smart sentence.

Irish politics may not be worth emulating, but it seems to us that there is a good deal to be said for Irish justice. Here the fallacy persists that if you haul a handful of middle-aged citizens, much against their will, from their normal vocations and lock them up in a wooden box, where some may contrive to keep awake and others may surrender to sweet semi-somnolence, you will get at the truth of a case and the law will be vindicated.

POLO PLAYERS
OPEN TO BIDSLORD KIMBERLEY &
PROFESSIONALISM

"HIRED ASSASSINS"

The Earl of Kimberley recently made an outspoken attack on professionalism in polo, and revealed that the Hurlingham Club Polo Committee were taking steps to end it after this season.

Lord Kimberley, who is himself a polo player, was speaking at a luncheon of the British Sportsman's Club, given in London to the Maharajah of Jaipur and the Indian polo team visiting England.

He regretted that polo in London was at a low ebb.

"The standard of what we call first-class polo," he said, "is lower in this country than it has ever been. The main reason for this is that during the last ten years the canker of professionalism has crept into our game in this country."

"Our polo to-day in some cases—I only say in some cases—is almost on a par with professional Association football."

"Certain players sell themselves and are bought. Certain patrons, rich patrons, bid for these players and the highest bidder gets them."

"This state of things has discouraged many young and promising players from taking up the game seriously because they felt that they had no chance in present-day polo without a hired assassin on their side."

"This question was brought to the notice of the Hurlingham Club Polo Committee, and in spite of strong opposition from a small section, the stewards have definitely decided to put an end to it after this season."

"The only reason that they have not done so now at the beginning of the season is that certain contracts have been entered into between patrons and professionals."

"In future the stewards will allow any player to have all his expenses paid and get his polo for nothing, but they will not allow any players to make money directly or indirectly out of playing the game."

Lord Kimberley added that he was glad to say that polo in the Army was flourishing.

"The game is played there on the right lines and in the right spirit," he said.

BABE RUTH ILL
IN BEDCHICAGO SEIZE THEIR
CHANCE

New York, June 19. "Babe" Ruth is ill in bed and could not turn out for the Yankees to-day, who were nosed out by Chicago.

Washington Senators hit hard and often against St. Louis and piled up 10 runs, whilst Detroit helped themselves to nine against the Philadelphia pitchers.

Schumacher pitched for the Giants and blanked out Chicago after the Giants had not had three runs.

Scores as supplied by Reuter were:

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	R	H	E
New York	3	7	4
Chicago	0	8	0

(Schumacher pitched).

Philadelphia	8	12	2
Cincinnati	7	14	2

Bottomley homered for Cincinnati and Klein for Philadelphia.

Brooklyn	6	10	1
St. Louis	5	15	0

(Taylor homered for St. Louis).

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	R	H	E
Cleveland	2	5	2
Boston	5	10	3

(Warstler homered for Boston).

Chicago	4	10	1
New York	3	7	0

(Gehrige homered for New York).

Detroit	9	13	1
Philadelphia	4	6	2

(Higgins homered for Philadelphia and Gehring for Detroit).

St. Louis	4	10	3
Washington	10	22	1

(Schulte, Huhel, Harris and Cronin homered for Washington and Campbell for St. Louis).

AMATEUR GOLF.

Title-Holder Upset
By Hannay.

London, June 19. At Hoylake in the Amateur Golf Championship second round to-day G. Hannay, of Woking, beat the holder, John de Forest, Royal and Ancient Club, at the twentieth hole.

Edward Kyle, of Kepple, Singapore, beat the holder, J. C. Chatterton, of the Royal and Ancient Club, at the twentieth hole.

TOWER OFFICER'S
MOTHER

APPEAL TO PUBLIC

"FREE AN INNOCENT
BOY"

Mrs. Baillie-Wright, mother of Norman Baillie-Stewart, the former Seaforth Highlander lieutenant who was recently found guilty by court-martial of selling information to a foreign power and sentenced to five years' penal servitude, has sent the following letter to the Press Association:

"As the broken-hearted mother of Norman Baillie-Stewart, I ask you, in the cause of justice, to publish this letter, trusting that someone of authority in this country may read it, and take the matter up on behalf of my unfortunate son."

"As all the world knows, this mere boy of 24 is now undergoing a long term of imprisonment, convicted of the most terrible charges, which were supported only by circumstantial evidence."

"Not one act approaching treachery to his country was proved against him, but the whole evidence, none of which my son denied, was interpreted by the prosecution in such a manner as to tell against him."

"I am quite sure my poor boy has no idea even to-day of the truth and, for that very obvious reason, he is unable to put forward a satisfactory explanation in his defence."

SECRET EVIDENCE.

"The fact that the evidence of certain witnesses was taken in camera has been most misleading to the public. I know quite definitely that not one word heard behind closed doors was in any way detrimental to my son's cause."

"Mr. Norman Parkes urged at the commencement of the trial that all evidence should be in open court, but the prosecution insisted it should be otherwise, to safeguard, so they said, foreign witnesses. This procedure has proved to be most unfair to my son, since the nation has been allowed to think that something heard in camera showed him guilty."

"Since the trial I have received innumerable letters from strangers protesting against this miscarriage of justice, and yet no persons in authority seem to have interested themselves further in the case. Is this right?"

NEW LIGHT.

"Two articles have appeared in the Press written by Lieut.-Colonel Balfour Macnaghten, which throw an entirely new light on the whole affair and form the basis of a perfectly sound, reasonable explanation, which, if correct, would show my son's innocence beyond all doubt, and surely, as this explanation has been given, it should be considered."

"I appeal to all right-thinking people to see that this cruel case is not allowed to rest where it is, and to do anything in their power to free an innocent boy."

"Can the public imagine what this case has meant to my husband and myself, whose families have been in the Services of their country for generations and many of them gave their lives in the Great War? Until a short while ago we looked to both our sons to serve England loyally all their lives, as both would have done."

(Signed) E. B. WRIGHT.

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New York, May 24. "Waxy" Gordon, who was arrested yesterday in the Catskill Mountains, pleaded not guilty today to a charge of attempting to defraud the United States Government of income tax amounting to \$100,000. He was released on \$20,000 bail.

Although Gordon, who is known as New York's "Public Enemy No. 1," has been a racketeer for 25 years, he has the unique record of never having been shot at by his rivals. He confessed to-day that he came near death last month when his two assistants, Max Haezel and Max Greenberg, were murdered in an hotel in New Jersey. Gordon said that when he heard the shooting he slipped away to safety.

It is alleged that he made in 1930 an income of more than \$300,000, and paid income tax on only \$2,100.

This leading beer baron racketeer lives luxuriously. His city flat costs \$1,500 a year, and he has a summer home in New Jersey. Three motor-cars are always at his disposal. He is fond of good clothes and his suits cost \$50 each; his tailor being a man formerly patronised by Al Capone, who is in prison for income tax frauds.

FOOTBALL

NO 'REVOLT' OVER
INSURANCEF.A. Ready to
Discuss the Matter

The Arsenal F.C. have taken a stand on the question of insurance by the F.A. of players chosen for international matches and tours abroad, but there is no question of revolt.

The Arsenal feel that clubs should be guaranteed against loss, through the F.A. for big games, and they are confident that the F.A. will view the request as reasonable.

As for the F.A., their attitude was made clear when Sir Frederick Wall declared:

"While we do not wish clubs to take the line that they will not release their players, the Arsenal, or any other club, who desire to make representations to us for special insurance of their players, are free to do so."

"We are ready to discuss the matter with any club which is dissatisfied with the existing arrangements."

The whole matter, therefore, seems to be one for mutual discussion and agreement.

ARSENAL'S VIEW.

The Arsenal's view may be summed up as follows:

If a club loan a \$10,000 player to the F.A. for a tour and the player is permanently disabled, the club are compelled to go into the transfer market to replace him. Surely, they argue, it is not unreasonable in such circumstances that the F.A. should compensate the club through insurance? Baxton and Hapgood were each insured for \$7,000 on the recent tour in Italy and Switzerland. Both players are valued a much higher figure by the Arsenal.

Present arrangements, reached in 1931, provide that a national association borrowing a player shall insure him against total disablement for not less than £2,000.

This has been the Arsenal's attitude ever since Marsdon, of Sheffield Wednesday, received an injury in Germany which ended his career. His club received nothing for their loss as there was not then an agreement for insurance such as now exists.

To say that the international matches are endangered by the development is a gross exaggeration.

YESTERDAY'S
TENNIS

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good form and only conceded one set—this to the Rumjahn cousins, who were taken to ten games.

Tam Yoc-fong and Tsui Yun-pui gave Cassumbhoy and Razack a shock by annexing a set from them, but Choa and George Lai could not get going and obtained but three games in three sets.

LEAGUE TABLE.

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
C.R.C. "A"	2	2	—	—	15%	2 1/2	4
S.C.A.A. "A"	2	—	—	—	14%	3 1/2	4
C.R.C. "B"	1	1	—	—	9	0	2
H.K.C.C.	1	1	—	—	9	0	2
I.R.C.	2	1	—	1	9 1/2	3 1/2	2
K.C.C.	2	1	—	1	8 1/2	3 1/2	2
Recrelo	2	1	—	1	8	10	2
C.C.C.	2	—	—	2	6	12	—
S.C.A.A. "B"	2	—	—	2	1	17	—
University	2	—	—	2	0	18	—

Results:

Indian R.C. v. Craigengower. Playing at Sookunpoo, the Indian R.C. defeated Craigengower by 6 sets to 3.

S. A. and H. D. Rumjahn (I.R.C.) beat Tam Yoc-fong and Tsui Yun-pui, 6-0; beat R. Choa and G. Lai, 6-1; beat J. W. Leonard and Y. Hachuma, 6-4.

J. A. E. Cassumbhoy and I. M. A. Razack (I.R.C.) lost to Tsui and Tam, 4-6; beat Choa and Lai, 6-2; lost to Leonard and Hachuma, 4-6.

A. R. Minu and F. D. Pereira (I.R.C.) beat Tam and Tsui, 6-4; beat Choa and Lai, 6-0; lost to Leonard and Hachuma, 4-6.

Kowloon G.C. v. Recrelo. On the home courts, the Kowloon G.C. defeated the Club de Recrelo by 7 sets to two.

E. C. Fincher and E. F. Fincher (K.C.C.) beat E. A. Noronha and J. J. Remedios, 6-2; beat A. V. Remedios and F. J. Remedios, 6-3; beat O. A. Barretto and G. A. Noronha, 6-2.

G. G. Burnett and S. A. Gray (K.C.C.) beat Noronha and Remedios, 6-2; lost to Remedios and Remedios, 6-3; beat Barretto and Noronha, 6-4.

A. E. P. Guest and W. Hyde (K.C.C.) beat Noronha and Remedios, 6-2; lost to Remedios and Remedios, 6-3; beat Barretto and Noronha, 7-5.

S.C.A.A. "B" v. C.R.C.

Visiting King's Park, the Chinese R.C. defeated the South China A.A. "B" by eight sets to one.

M. K. Lo and Yew Man-kit (C.R.C.)

S.C.A.A. FETE.

Popular Event Draws
Large Crowd.

KEEN COMPETITION.

The second aquatic fete of the South China Athletic Association was held at the Club swimming pavilion at North Point last night.

There were ten events, which brought out a very large number of competitors, and testified to the growing popularity which this form of sport and recreation has attained with the Chinese.

The second gala night proved to be as unqualified a success as the first. A crowd of over 2,000 of both sexes attended.

At the conclusion of the competitions, the prizes which were donated by the Chosen Departmental Store, Den Vieux Road Central, were given away by the Manager, Mr. Leung Ip Wing.

The Results.

Following are the results of the different events:

100 yards Men's Free Style (Open to members of H.K.L.A.S.A. 1st. Shok Kam-pui; 2nd, Chan Fook-sing; 3rd, Kwok Chun-hang. Time: 12 secs.

100 yards Ladies' Free Style (Open to members of H.K.L.A.S.A. 1st. Young Sau-king; 2nd, Mrs. W. Schreuder; 3rd, Leung Wing-han. Time: 87.2 secs.

Child-carrying Race (under 15 years of age). 1st, Yuen Chi-kwok; 2nd, Yuen Yuen-wat; 3rd, Yung Cheung-wai; 4th, Kwok-ki; 5th, Yuen Chi-min; 6th, Lau Chak-po.

Senior.

200 yards Men's Breast Stroke: 1st, Kwok Chun-hang; 2nd, Wong Time: 3 min. 17 secs.

Junior.

1st, Tse Kim-hung; 2nd, Li Ping-kwan; 3rd, Leung Yun-hung. Time: 3 min. 34.2 secs.

Senior.

100 yards Ladies' Back Stroke: 1st, Yung Sau-king; 2nd, Yung Sau-chun; 3rd, Yuen Pui-han. Time: 1 min. 47.2 secs.

Junior.

1st, Leung Wing-han; 2nd, Yuen Pui-chung; 3rd, Mok Suk-koon. Time: 1 min. 50 secs.

60 yards two-men-with-three-legs Race (By drawing): 1st, Leung Lai-sang; Kwok Chun-hang; 2nd, Wong Yui-pui; Leung Wai-sang.

80 yards Two-men-with-three-legs Race (By drawing): 1st, Leung Lai-sang; Kwok Chun-hang; 2nd, Wong Yui-pui; Leung Wai-sang; 3rd, Lau Hung-chai; Chao Sui-kam.

60 yards Two-ladies-with-three-legs (By drawing): 1st, Yuen Pui-chung; Mok Suk-koon; 2nd, Yung Sau-king; Leung Wing-han; 3rd, Yung Sau-king; Leo Shue-kam.

Ladies' Turf-of-war: 1st Group "A": Yuen Pui-chung; Lee Shun-kam; Mok Suk-koon. 2nd Group "B": Yuen Pui-chung; Lee Shun-kam; Mok Suk-koon.

Men's Aquatic Boxing (From members of S.C.A.A. Boxing Section). Fancy Dancing Exhibition.

NUVOLARI AGAIN.

Alfa Romeos' Success
In Grand Prix.

RILEY'S TRIUMPH.

Leman, June 19. Nuvolari, ace of Italian motorists, driving an Alfa Romeo, won the 24-hour Grand Prix endurance race, covering 8144.038 kilometres non-stop.

Alfa Romeos also occupied second and third places.

The British Riley, which scored top marks (1,444) for the best performance, finished fourth, and the British cars Aston Martin, M. G. and Aston Martin filled fifth, sixth and seventh places respectively.

It was a thrilling race, Nuvolari winning after a neck and neck duel by only 200 metres, in which he established a new record, averaging 131 kilometres an hour.

Prince Nicholas of Roumania, driving a Duesenberg car, was unluckily disqualified for refuelling at the wrong pit.

An Alfa Romeo, driven by a French woman, Madame Siko, overturned and was burnt out. The driver escaped with only slight injuries. Reuter Special.

beat K. H. Chan and Y. F. Chew, 6-4; beat Y. W. Lee and C. T. Tso, 6-3; lost to Chan So and C. L. Tsang, 6-7.

Ho Ka-lau and Tadi Wai-pui (C.R.C.) beat Chan and Chew, 6-3; beat Lee and Tso, 6-1; beat Chan and Tsang, 6-2.

Id Tat-chenk and W. C. Hung (C.R.C.) beat Chan and Chew, 6-2; beat Lee and Tso, 6-4; beat Chan and Tsang, 6-2.

S.C.A.A. "A" v. University.

At King's Park, South China A.A. "A" swamped the University by nine sets to nil.

W. H. Ho and W. T. Lee (S.C.A.A.) beat Y. K. Ng and M. C. Hong, 6-3; beat H. N. Lee and H. M. Lo, 6-4; beat Sai-woy and Mahan Singh, 6-3.

C. C. Luk and S. W. Wong (S.C.A.A.) beat Ng and Hung, 6-0; beat Lee and Lo, 6-3; beat Sai-woy and Singh, 6-0.

C. P. Ip and W. T. Lee (S.C.A.A.) beat Ng and Hung, 6-4; beat Lee and Lo, 6-3; beat Sai-woy and Singh, 6-3.

BOY ON
RUNAWAY
MOTOR-CYCLESTEERING FROM
SIDE-CAR

A 13-years-old boy, Kenneth Noel Young, seated on his grandfather's lap in a sidecar, steered a riderless motor-cycle combination for more than a mile as it hurtled, with throttle set wide open, through the streets of Edmonton, N., recently.

Eventually it struck a kerb and overturned, grandfather and grandson being thrown out but escaping injury.

The boy's father, Mr. Alfred James Young, 37, of Loping-road, Edmonton, had been driving, but he was thrown off the saddle when the machine came into collision with a man on the North Circular Road. The man received fatal injuries, and Mr. Young was picked up suffering from concussion.

CHASED BY MOTORIST.

A remarkable scene followed the collision. A policeman on duty at the junction of Cambridge-road and the North Circular Road saw the combination flash by with no driver in the saddle, while the boy in the side-car was screaming out, "Help my father! Help my father!"

Behind the riderless combination followed a motor-car whose indignant driver thought he was chasing a motor-cyclist who had callously driven on after knocking somebody over.

The boy described his thrilling adventure to a reporter.

"Grandfather, father and I were riding down the North Circular-road when there was a jolt and father fell from the saddle. We swerved and struck the kerb, so I leaned over and got hold of the handle-bars and steered it straight."

COULD NOT STOP IT.

"After a time I tried to lift up the exhaust lever in an effort to stop the engine, but as I did that we swerved again, so I gave up the idea."

"When we got to the junction at Cambridge-road I was afraid we might hit some car coming over it, so I shouted 'Stop,' to the policeman on duty, and he pulled a car up as we went by."

"We then turned into Silver-street, and it was too dark to see where we were going. A few seconds later we hit the kerb and turned over, with the cycle beneath the sidecar."

"As soon as grandfather saw I was all right he went back to see what had happened to father. I had only ridden a fairy cycle before, and that was three years ago."

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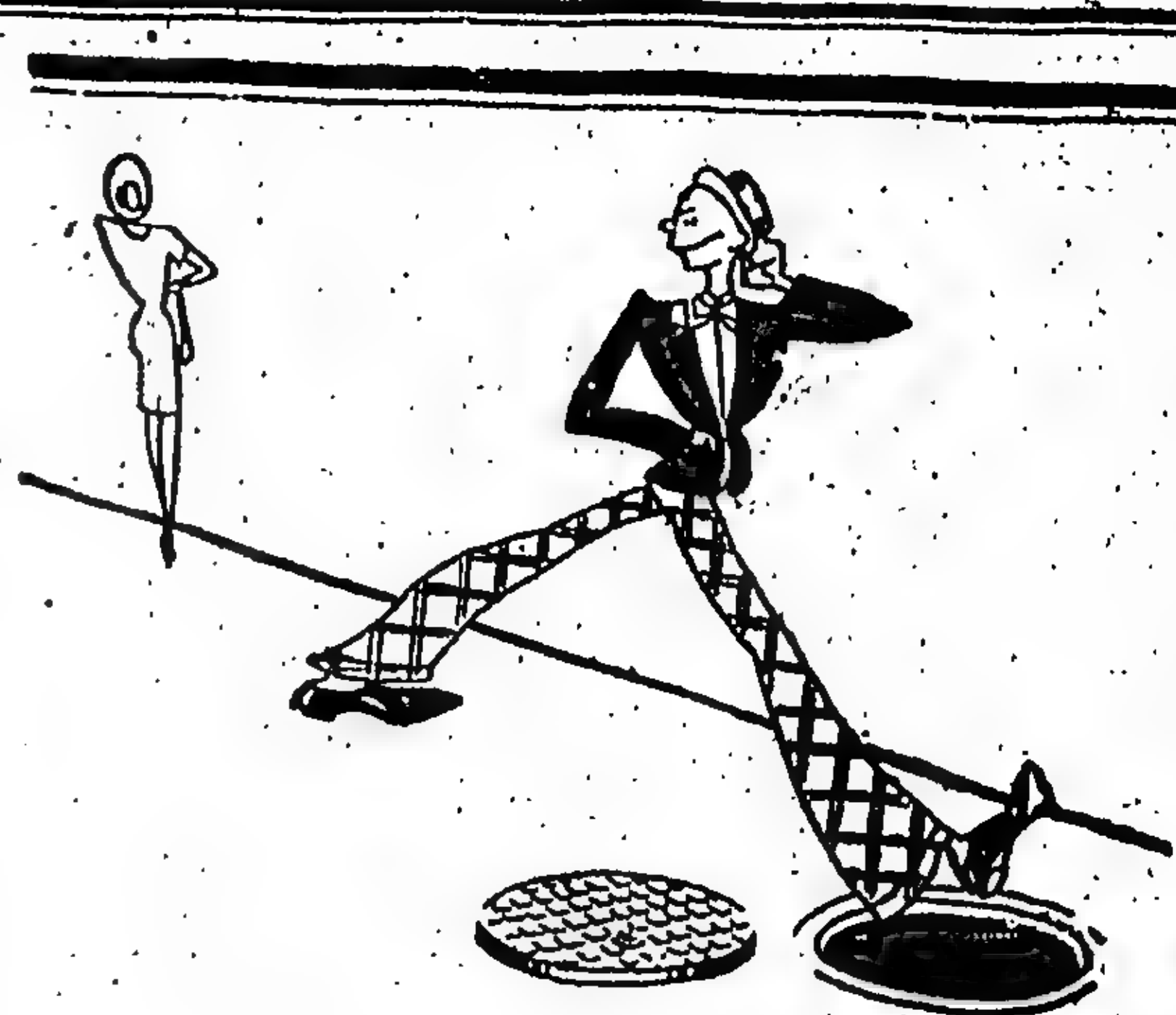
Fierce competition in Atlantic fares will take place between British and foreign shipping companies in October. It has been announced that the British lines have reduced the fares to the United States, the reductions to take place immediately.

The new fares affect all classes of accommodation and passengers will save from £5 15s. for minimum first-class accommodation to £1 15s. for third class in the smaller liners.

In conjunction with the United States Lines, which announced reductions this morning, the British companies have been forced to do this because of the recent fluctuations in the value of the dollar, on which all fares are based.

A few weeks ago the Cunard Company gave notice to the North Atlantic Passenger Conference that they intended withdrawing from certain agreements. They desired a reclassification of certain liners, so that their giant luxury vessels could compete fairly with newer but smaller boats providing equal accommodation at cheaper rates.

An attempt to reach agreement was made at the last meeting of the North Atlantic Conference, but a decision was deferred until the October meeting, when the tourist season would be over. Now the British companies have to run through the busy summer season on uneconomic fares, while their demand for some redress has been shelved.

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CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

"Tell Me To-night" certainly achieves the first duty of keeping romance alive in a world which has never run short of realism. It succeeds in creating the conditions of enchantment that are favourable to romance. There is a combination of beautiful music and glorious scenery, that brings to the picture theatre just that kind of entertainment that is intensely and quietly satisfying because it does not depend upon thrills. Instead of thrill you get music and delightful comedy in "Tell Me To-night," a really attractive picture featuring Jan Kiepura, the Polish tenor, who in seven years has won a world-wide reputation, Sonnie Hale, Edmund Gwenn, Athene Seyler and Magda Schneider provide the sparkling fun.

"Clear All Wires"

"Clear All Wires," Broadway's biggest laugh hit, is on the screen at last. Leo Tracy heads a cast of film celebrities in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's talkie version of the play which is now at the Queen's Theatre.

Bella and Samuel Spewack, authors of the riotous drama of a fast-talking newspaper correspondent who gets into a maze of comic complications in Europe, also wrote the screen adaptation in collaboration with Delmer Daves. Tracy plays the role of the irresponsible newspaperman who comes to Moscow, steals the chorus girl loved by the wealthy employer, tries to frame a shooting for a newspaper "scoop," gets himself shot and saves his commissar's life, then is arrested for the plot and falls into the toils of the Russian secret police until a dramatic denouement saves him.

The role is said to be a made-to-order one for Tracy, who first won notice for his portrayal of a newspaper man in "The Front Page," on the stage and who has since followed this up with outstanding screen work in "Blessed Event," "Night Mayor" and "Love Is a Racket." The feminine lead is played by Bonita Hunt, English stage and screen star who makes her American debut in "Clear All Wires" but who will be remembered for her work opposite Lewis Howard in "Service for Ladies," an English picture.

"Broadway Bad"

Ginger Rogers, the frey little redhead who plays Joan Blondell's worldly-wise girl friend in "Broadway Bad," was chosen recently as a Wampas Baby Star of 1933. Fourteen others of the film colony's most talented young actresses were similarly honoured.

Each year the Wampas, Hollywood's organization of publicity and advertising men, issues its selection of Baby Stars. The players named are those the Wampas considers to have the most brilliant prospects for full-fledged stardom. Only young actresses who have demonstrated their abilities with outstanding performances in important pictures are considered in the balloting.

In "Broadway Bad" now at the King's Theatre, Miss Rogers is one of a cast including Ricardo Cortez, Adrienne Ames, Allen Vincent, Victor Jory and others in support of Joan Blondell in her characterization of a girl who makes the world pay for calling her loud.

"Fast Workers"

The hilarious adventures of a couple of riveters who liked to climb high in the world so that their range of vision for the ladies would be increased provide a basis for "Fast Workers," which brings John Gilbert to the Queen's Theatre to-morrow in a role that has all the punch and romantic bravado of his unforgettable part in "The Big Parade."

Robert Armstrong is seen as Gilbert's companion throughout a series of thrills on top of skyscrapers and amorous encounters on the ground that lead to a smashing climax.

The story is based on the play "Rivets," by John McDermott, adapted to the screen by Karl Brown and Ralph Wheelwright with dialogue by Laurence Stallings of "What Price Glory" fame. Tod Browning, director of many hits starring the late Lon Chaney and who brought the serio-thrills of "Dracula" to the screen, directed.

Gilbert portrays "Gunner," an ace riveter who leads all other hot metal experts on a big skyscraper in a race to completion. Armstrong is his "bucker," or strong arm man who holds an iron hammer on the back of a rivet so that the metal may be smashed down by the rivet gun. Mae Clarke who scored in "Waterloo Bridge" and "The Front Page," has the feminine lead as a lady of shady reputation. Muriel Kirkland, who won considerable notice on the New York stage for her performance in "Strictly Dishonorable," is seen as "Milly."

"The Golden West"

It isn't necessary to walk bow-legged and say "hat-a-way" to be a western movie star. George O'Brien has proven it.

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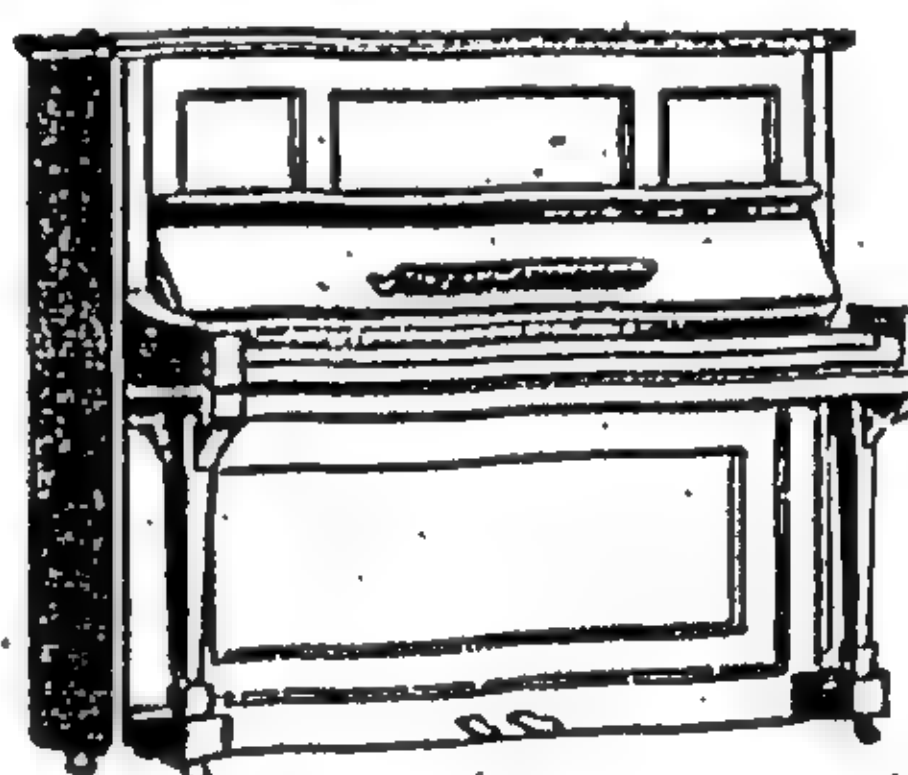
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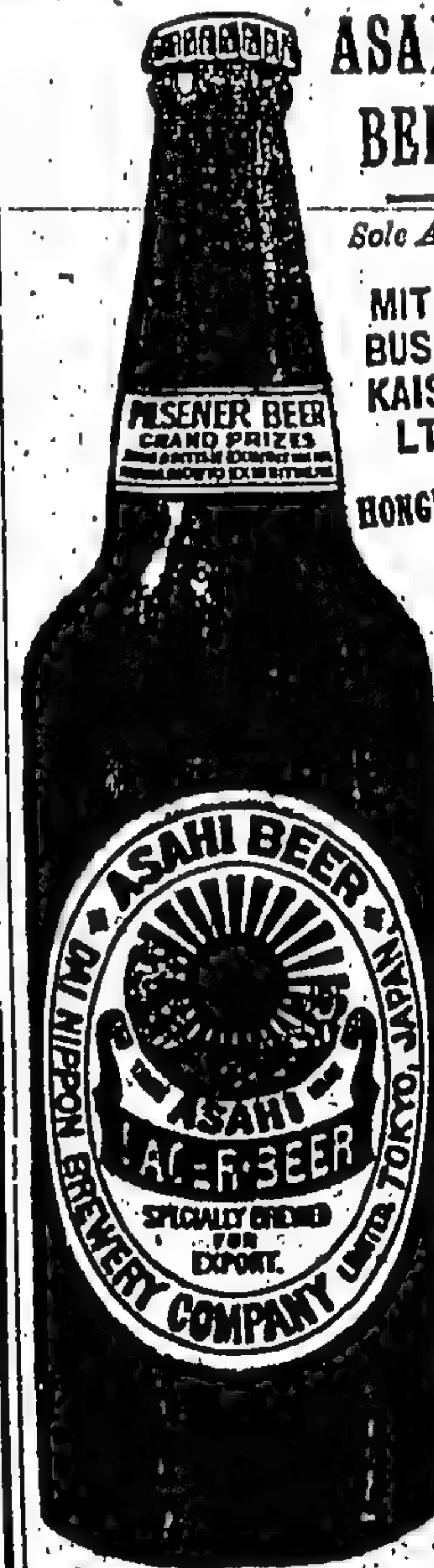
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- Entries in the Children's Section must bear the name, age and address on the back in ink, countersigned by a parent.
- Members of the Staff are not permitted to compete.

READ THE RULES CAREFULLY.

LIFE SENTENCE FOR GUNMAN

GUILTY OF ATTEMPT TO MURDER

Sentence of life imprisonment was passed on Chan H. alias Tin Kai-hi, who was found guilty at the Criminal Sessions yesterday of attempting to murder the proprietor of the Chinese journal Tin Nam Yat Po by shooting at him at Lyndhurst Terrace on April 18.

In passing sentence, the Chief Justice, Mr. J. R. Wood, remarked that if the attempt had been successful, accused would have been found guilty of murder on the evidence that the court had heard.

His Lordship also publicly commended Mr. Ng Tak-wing, a well-known runner and footballer, for his capture of the accused after a long chase through the streets of the city.

Accused was charged with attempting to murder; wounding with intent to murder; and wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm. He pleaded not guilty to all three charges.

The Jury were Messrs. L. Langman, foreman, L. A. da Costa, G. L. Davidson, H. Dobnercker, R. E. Ganz, R. S. Johnson, and Young Yau.

Shots in Street.

Opening the case for the Crown, Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, said the scene of the shooting was outside 10, Lyndhurst Terrace, in which road Mr. Lo, L. S. C. 142, and Mr. Ng Tak-wing were walking separately. Mr. Lo suddenly heard a shot fired and felt an injury on his left shoulder, where it was later found the bullet had struck and glanced off.

Mr. Lo ran into No. 10, a shop on the other side of the road, where were three folks and two ladies. A second shot was fired and Lo and the folks concealed themselves in the shop. Three more shots were then heard, either just inside or outside the shop, and the assailant then threw down his weapon and ran.

Mr. Ng Tak-wing, the Sergeant, and Det. Inspector Chu Hong, who lived close by, pursued the man down Gage Street, Chuk Hing Lane, Gutzlaff Street, Wellington Street, Graham Street, Queen's Road, Peel Street, Wellington Street, and Staveley Street, where he was caught by Mr. Ng Tak-wing.

The constable had stopped to pick up a jacket which the man discarded as he ran, and the detective had returned to the premises to search for the injured man. Accused was taken to the police station, and it was there found that he had a mark on his hand.

Experiments had been made with the weapon in the presence of the prisoner, and evidence would be given that firing it in the special position in which it had to be held, might leave a mark corresponding to that on prisoner's hand.

Tell-Tale Mark.

Evidence bearing out Mr. Fraser's statement was given by retired L.S.C. 142, (whose retirement took effect on the day of the shooting,) Detective Inspector Chu Hong, and Mr. Ng Tak-wing.

Mr. V. C. Branson, Government Analyst, gave evidence that the stain on accused's hand contained traces of lead, and Police Armourer J. E. Scott said he had fired the weapon with a glove and found that it left a mark on the glove in a similar position to the mark on Chan H. hand.

His Lordship addressing the jury said they merely had to decide whether the shot that struck Mr. Lo was fired by accused, and it seemed clear to his mind that this was the case.

After a short retirement the jury returned a verdict of "guilty," and the Chief Justice passed sentence as stated above.

PRETTY WEDDING.

DR. E. C. HUMPHREYS AND MISS I. L. OLDFIELD

A pretty wedding of particular interest was solemnised at the Registry Office on Saturday, when Miss Irene Lucille Oldfield, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Oldfield of Hongkong, became the bride of Dr. E. C. Humphreys, Dental Surgeon of Alexandra Building, Hongkong, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Humphreys, late of Messrs. J. D. Humphreys and Watson's, of Hongkong.

The bride wore a gown of pink organdie with hat to match, the bride's dress being the creation of "Lucille" of Gloucester Building. The bride's mother's dress was a green and fawn georgette ensemble.

The bride's father and mother and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hayward of Tregunter Mansions, May Road, were the witnesses.

A reception was later held in the Jacobean Room of the Hongkong Hotel where about 100 guests drank the toast of the happy couple, who later left for Fanning, where the honeymoon is being spent.

The bride's going-away dress was of blue and white spot crepe de chine with white organdie sleeves, white hat, shoes and bag.

COUNCIL MEETING.

NEW BILL TO AMEND OPIUM LAW

Four Bills of a formal nature, read a first time at the last meeting of the Legislative Council, and a new Bill relating to the purchase of opium, figure in the agenda for the next meeting of the Legislative Council to be held on Thursday.

Pursuant to notice, the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall will ask the following questions:

1. Is it a fact that on account of overcrowding in the prisons, the Government has sanctioned or contemplates sanctioning the release of certain prisoners before the expiration of their terms of imprisonment?

2. Will the Government furnish this Council with comparative figures for the month of May 1932 and 1933, showing:

(1) The number of prisoners serving terms in Victoria Gaol and the Laichikok Prison respectively.

(2) The number of prisoners serving terms for:

(a) hawking offences, and

(b) other minor offences.

(3) The number of juvenile prisoners, if any.

3. If the comparison reveals an increase in the present number of prisoners, to what cause or causes does the Government attribute such an increase?

Bills Before Council.

The four Bills to be read a second time are: (1) A Bill to further amend the Supreme Court Ordinance, 1873; (2) A Bill for the further amendment of the Code of Ordinance, 1897; (3) A Bill to amend further the Probates Ordinance, 1897; (4) A Bill to make provision for the redemption of the bonds issued under the authority of the Public Works Loan Ordinance, 1927.

The Attorney General (Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster) will move the first reading of a Bill to amend the law relating to opium.

The objects and reasons for the new Bill are stated as follows:

Under Article 5 of the Agreement concerning the manufacture of, the internal trade in, and the use of prepared opium, which was signed at Geneva on the 11th February, 1925, His Majesty's Government undertook to prohibit the purchase and sale of dross except when the dross is sold to the monopoly.

Section 13 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1932 as amended by section 4 of Ordinance No. 36 of 1932 did not expressly enact this prohibition and apparently authorised sales by the superintendent; though in fact no such sales have ever been made or proposed. Section 2 of this amending Ordinance therefore repeals section 13 and substitutes a re-drafted section.

Opium Dross.

In the substituted sub-section the words "under section 10" are now and are added to make the sub-section conform with sub-section (2) which is a re-enactment of sub-section (2) of Ordinance No. 7 of 1932 as amended by section 3 of Ordinance No. 36 of 1932. Moreover the words "or any opium dross" at the end of the sub-section have been omitted in the substituted sub-section (1).

In the substituted sub-section (3) the words "or opium dross," which appeared in the sub-section added to the principal Ordinance by No. 36 of 1932, have been omitted.

Sub-section (4) is new and contains the prohibition required by Article 5 of the Agreement of the 11th February, 1925.

Section 3 of this amending ordinance adds a sub-section to section 15 of the principal Ordinance. The section already penalises the keepers of opium dens and the smokers therein. The added sub-section, which is drafted on the lines of section 11 of Ordinance No. 4 of 1897, brings within the scope of the section owners, occupiers and managers of premises who knowingly suffer them to be used as dens.

GARCIA SISTERS.

ATTRACTIVE DANCING AT THE KING'S

Quite the snappiest turn seen for many a day at the King's Theatre is provided by the nimble-footed Garcia Sisters.

The whole stage presentation is particularly bright, but the two sisters are outstanding. Their three dance numbers, one of which was a Rumba, evoked rounds of applause, and deservedly so.

Al. Baldwin's darkie numbers did not, in this reviewer's opinion, get the applause they deserved. His "Chloe" was particularly well rendered, but apparently "A Shanty In Old Shanty Town" and "Oh, Death, Where is Thy Sting" were unknown to last night's audience.

Writer recommends the stage presentation, but regrets that he cannot do the same to the feature film, "Second Hand Wife," which is by no means Sally Eilers' best.

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HEAVY FINES ON MOTOR DRIVER

EYES AFFECTED BY FLOODLIGHT

Pleading guilty through Mr. D. B. Evans to charges of dangerous driving, failing to stop and falling to report an accident, Mr. H. P. Bailey, of the General Electric Company of China, Ltd., was fined a total of \$350 by Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistrate's court yesterday afternoon.

On the charge of dangerous driving, Mr. Evans explained that Mr. Bailey had been in charge in the Company's flood-light exhibit at the Empire Fair, which had a candle power of 750,000 to 1,000,000, and his eyes had become affected by attending to the light. Mr. Schofield complimented Mrs. Vincent, who had rendered assistance to Mrs. Landau, the victim of the accident.

The charges arose out of an accident in Queen's Road, East of Murray Road, when Mrs. Landau, the wife of Mr. Adolphe Landau, the proprietor of Jimmy's Kitchen, was seriously injured, when defendant's car came into collision with the ricksha in which she was travelling on the night of May 21.

Traffic-Inspector C. F. Alexander prosecuted, and Mr. T. H. King, Deputy Inspector General of Police, was also present. Mr. G. D'Almada watched in the interests of Mrs. Landau, while Mr. D. B. Evans was for the defence.

At the conclusion, Mr. Schofield remarked that he was not including sentences of imprisonment as he felt sure the explanation offered was a good one. He fined the defendant \$200 on the major charge; \$100 for failing to stop, and \$50 for failing to report an accident.

Pleas of Guilty.

At the commencement of the case Mr. Evans said: "I am going to plead guilty on all three charges and shall have something to say on the charge of dangerous driving."

Inspector Alexander, outlining the case, said: "Soon after 10 p.m. on May 25, last, motor car No. 2928 was driven towards Queen's Road up Murray Road, it is alleged at a speed between 30 and 40 m.p.h. The car, in turning east along Queen's Road East did not keep to the left but took a wide sweep and nearly collided with a lamp standard. It travelled along Queen's Road East for 50 or 60 yards and collided with public ricksha No. 509. The ricksha was on its proper side of the road, and the front left side of the car collided with the right rear end of the ricksha. A European lady in the ricksha was thrown to the ground and rather seriously injured. The coolie also was thrown to the ground. The car did not stop but went back to Repulse Bay Hotel where it was put in the garage."

Later that night I went to the hotel and went to defendant's room. He admitted driving the car and said "A girl walked into the car." The number of the car was obtained through some men of the South Wales Borderers and also the ricksha puller, who got it from a passer-by. When this car collided with the ricksha, a lady, Mrs. Vincent, was in bed in Queen's Road, and she heard the crash and got up and went to the assistance of the injured lady who was taken to the Dockyard, where a stretcher was obtained and later she was taken to the Government Civil Hospital after having been attended to by a Naval surgeon. She was discharged from hospital on June 12, and is still under medical attention at her house."

Mr. Schofield: Is it known definitely on which part of the road the ricksha was running?

Inspector Alexander: On the proper side on the left hand side.

Was there much damage done to the ricksha?—It was not badly damaged; only to the extent of about \$10. The coolie was scratched, but was not seriously injured. He had to wait for about

two or three days until another ricksha was provided.

Causes of Accident. Addressing the Court, Mr. Evans said: "There are two explanations which I should like to put before your Worship as regards this accident, but before I do so, I would like to mention the activities of the defendant on the day in question."

He is employed by the General Electric Co., and the Empire Fair had started on the day previous to the accident. They were exhibiting an extremely powerful flood light which had a candle-power of 750,000 to 1,000,000. Defendant was in charge of this the previous night and was on duty at the Fair from 7 p.m. till 9 p.m. He was at work the next morning at 9 a.m. and went again at 7 p.m. on the evening of the accident, remaining there until 9.30 p.m.

During the time he was there, he had occasion to step from behind the light to the front to satisfy himself that each of the nine bulbs was functioning correctly. He therefore exposed himself to the full glare of this enormous beam. He did that several times and once before he left at 9.30 p.m. when he stepped in front of it at a very short distance and noticed that each of the bulbs was functioning correctly. He then left and took the 9.50 ferry and got in his car at the Praya when he arrived at Hongkong, and proceeded at what he thought was a normal pace.

In the first place, the defendant was extremely tired. It was extremely hot, and he did, in fact, feel extremely sleepy, and it is part of my submission that this sleepy feeling was induced largely by the glare that he had subjected his eyes to. It is a well-known fact that gazing at a bright light for any length of time does induce sleepiness and that is emphasised by the fact that hypnotists always use bright lights to induce sleepiness.

I may mention that after duty that night, he had not had any dinner at all and was on his way back to Repulse Bay to get some sandwiches before turning in. The effect of driving in that state, therefore, is no defence, and it is for that reason that I advised my client to plead guilty. But it is a very possible and probable explanation as to how this accident occurred.

Fogged and Misty Eyes.

Continuing, Counsel said: "The other explanation is this: There are two conditions of eye strain or eye-afrection due to glare. The first is known as adaptation from light to dark and as your Worship knows, the converse is from dark to light. There is a period during which you cannot focus correctly and no amount of concentration can remove that. It is entirely natural of course. During that period one's eye-sight is fogged and misty and the period of adaptation in cases of extreme glare is forty-five minutes. That is the maximum period; the minimum period might be about 10 minutes."

There is a second condition which is popularly called the "eclipsed eye." That may be very often an extremely serious matter, as not only is there the adaptation period, but there is actually an injury to the retina of the eye. That injury may be extremely temporary, semi-permanent or permanent. It is a curious fact that if you look at something while in that condition, you don't see the very thing you are looking at but do see other things. That is caused by extreme glare. There is no gain-saying the fact that the defendant did not see what he hit. I am suggesting this as a possible explanation of why he did not see the accident. This explanation can be verified by calling an eye specialist, should your Worship so desire. Both the explanations are entirely consistent with the fact that defendant drove to Repulse Bay and proceeded to go to bed. He tells me that the impact with the ricksha was not such a serious one as to lead him to believe that anything serious had happened. And though he now realises he should have stopped, he failed to do so. Had he any idea of the nature or extent of the damage and injury caused, I am sure your

Worship will let me say there would have been no reason for these charges.

No Previous Conviction. I understand there is no previous conviction against him in the Colony for dangerous driving or any other kind of driving, though there was a conviction against him for parking outside the Peak Hotel. I am particularly asking that in assessing any penalty, your Worship will take into consideration these explanations and also not suspend his driving licence. I understand he uses this car very extensively for business purposes, as his calling being that of an electrical engineer takes him from one end of the Colony to the other at a moment's notice. In addition to that is the fact that he lives in the Repulse Bay Hotel and his car is a very convenient form of conveyance. I ask your Worship to give indulgence in view of these explanations.

Mr. Schofield: Is it not the usual practice to use deep tinted red glasses for such purposes?

Mr. Evans: Not in that particular case. Those glasses are only used for acetylene welding.

Mr. Schofield: I know from my own experience of searchlights we have always had to keep red tinted glasses on. I should think it would be advisable for any one dealing with such powerful lights to use strong tinted red glasses in the future. Knowing himself to be in such a condition, it might have been much wiser for him to have hired a car.

Mr. Evans: I should have mentioned it before, but there is in fact an explanation for that. The defendant thought it was not right for him to leave his car parked on the Praya all through the night. He was under the impression that the car had to be removed.

Mr. Schofield: It is true that when one leaves a car on the Praya all night, one is apt to find it removed when one returns for it, either by natural or other causes. Certainly it is not advisable to leave it all night. I take it there is no suggestion that the defendant had consumed alcohol before the accident.

No Intoxicants. Mr. T. H. King: There is no evidence that he was under the influence of drink. There is no evidence that he had not had a drink, but he accident to Repulse Bay without any further mishap. We do not allege intoxication; we have no evidence on that point. But it is also not alleged that he is a teetotaler.

Mr. Schofield: It certainly strikes me that one of these explanations is a possible one. Putting aside the question of his being under the influence of liquor, I cannot understand how defendant could have driven on without taking notice of the accident.

Mr. King: I cannot offer a definite explanation. It is clear though that the defendant was not unaware that he had hit something. I must ask your Worship to take a serious view of his going on without giving any information to the Police.

Mr. Schofield: What is the evidence that he had knowledge?

Mr. King: The statement that he made to Inspector Alexander when he said, "I was driving the car, the girl walked into the car."

Mr. Schofield: That may not be a reference to the accident.

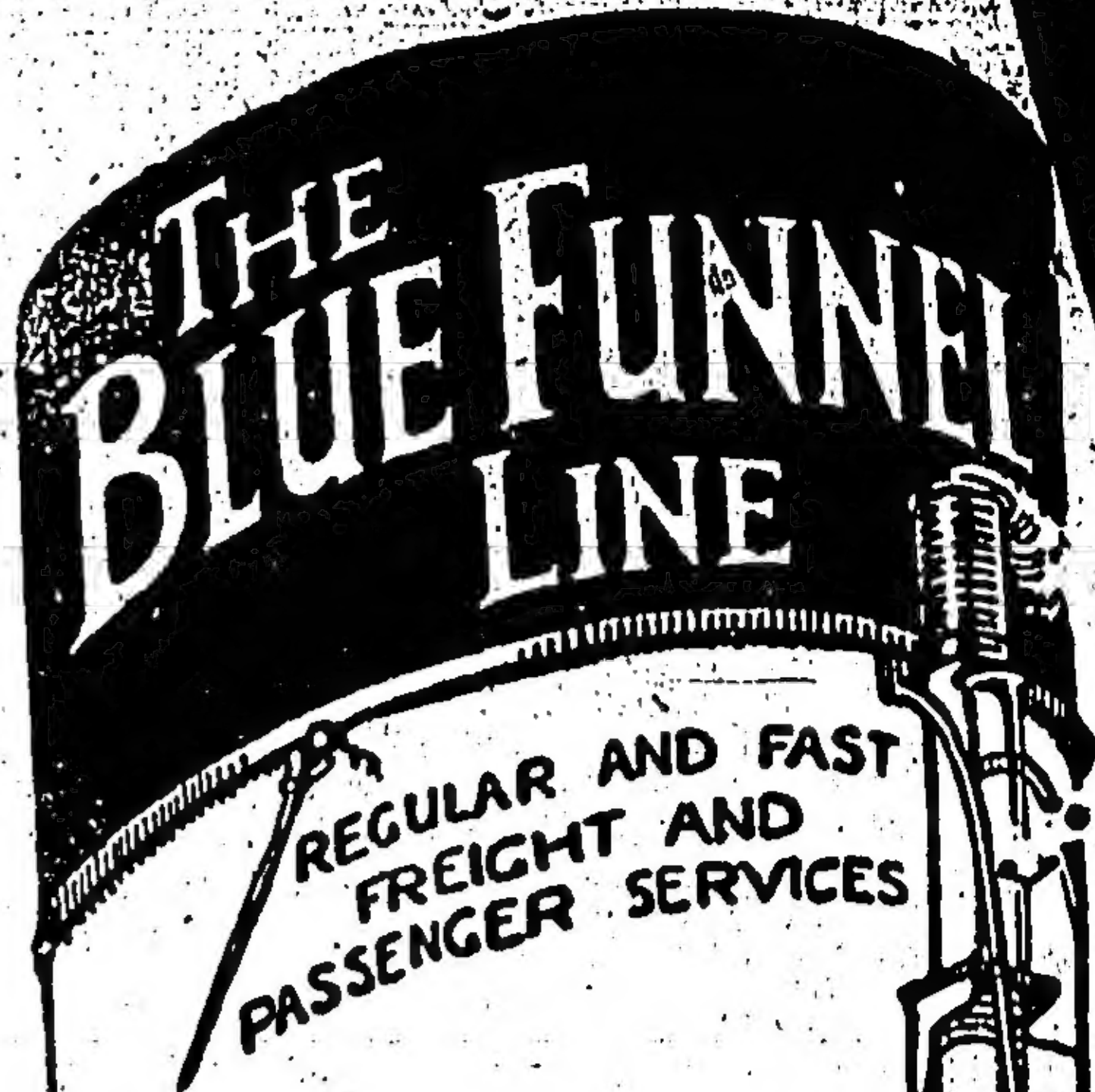
Mr. King: It could only be a reference to that night.

Mr. Evans: Defendant understood from Insp. Alexander that a lady had been hit, and not knowing how he hit her, he thought it was the best possible thing he could say.

Mr. Schofield: I should like to compliment Mrs. Vincent in helping the injured lady; I think she did very well. With regard to the damage to the ricksha and the injury to the coolie, I will make an order serving both.

Mr. Schofield then directed that \$10 be paid to the owner of the ricksha for damages and \$2 to the coolie for loss of wages.

"I am not including the sentence of imprisonment as I feel sure the explanation was a good one," said Mr. Schofield, who continued that he would not make any order regarding costs, remarking that it could be settled elsewhere.



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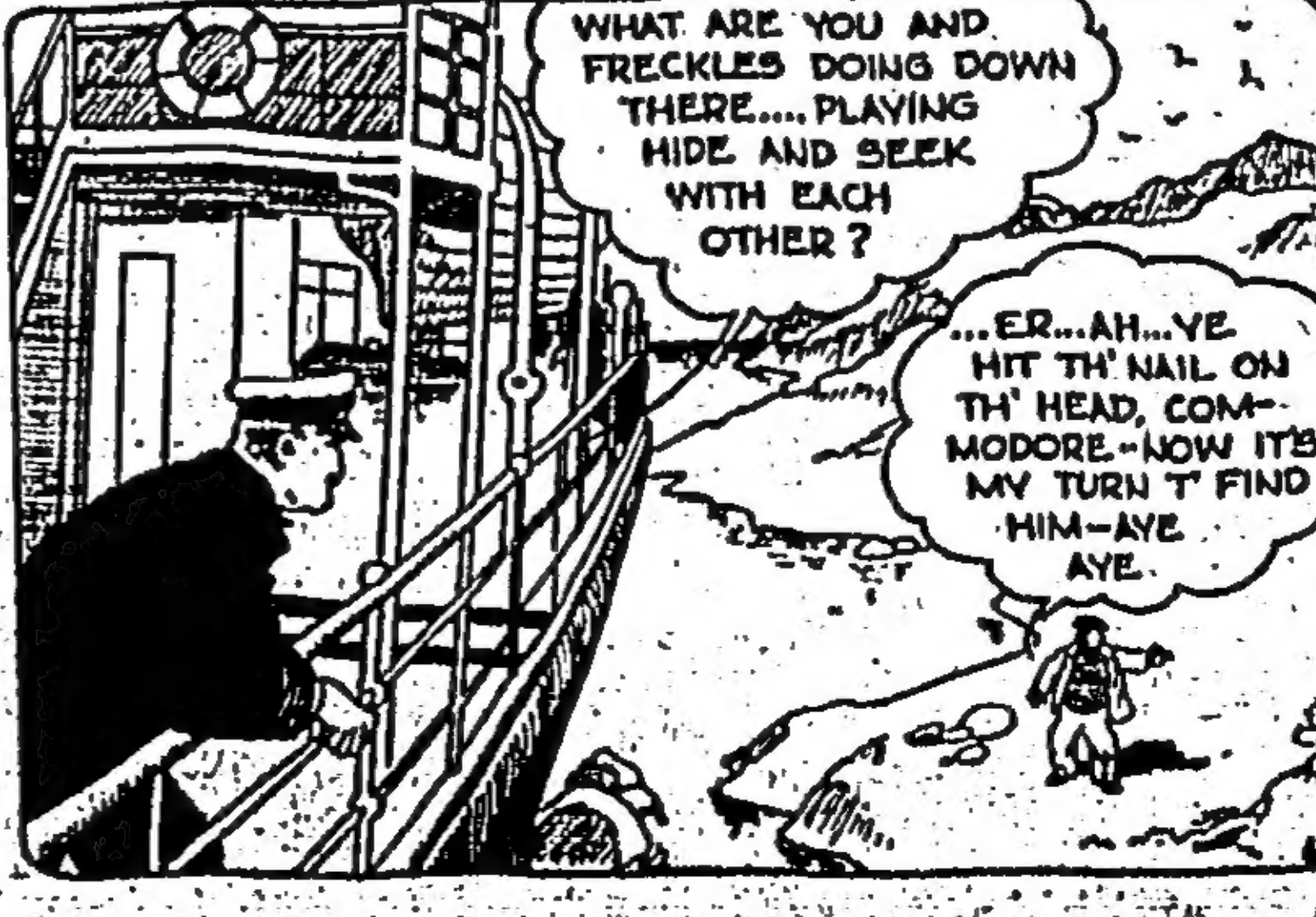
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By W. E. McKenney

Have you ever noticed how often players will complain about their bad luck and how the cards break against them?

Perhaps some of these complaints are warranted. But quite often sound reasoning and good card playing will offset apparently bad breaks.

Take, for example, the following hand that was played at the close of the season of the Cleveland Interclub Whist League. At practically every table North and South arrived at a contract of six no trumps and it was surprising to note that only one pair made their contract—the rest complained about their bad breaks.

Mr. C. E. Gunn, a young tournament player of Cleveland, was

♠ A-K-10-8-2	♥ A-K-4
♦ Q-9-7	♣ 9-4
♠ 9-7-6	♥ 10-2
♦ 4-3	♣ 10-10
♠ Q-J-8	♥ 8-6
♦ 7-6	♣ 10-5-3
♠ 4-2	♥ 10-5-3
♦ 6	♣ 10-5-3

the one declarer who found the way to make his contract.

The Bidding

South bid one club, West passed and North bid one spade. Mr. Gunn in the South made a constructive bid of two diamonds and North then bid two hearts, endeavouring to fill the heart suit for his partner in the hope that the hand could be played for a slam.

Mr. Gunn then bid two no trumps, North bid three spades, Mr. Gunn bid three no trumps and North went to six no trumps.

The Play

A spade was opened against Mr. Gunn and he allowed it to ride around to his queen. A diamond was played and won in dummy with the king. Mr. Gunn tried for a spade break by leading the ace and king, but on the second spade East showed out, discarding a club.

Mr. Gunn tried to see if the diamond suit would break and took two rounds of diamonds, but on the second diamond West showed out, discarding a small heart. Mr. Gunn led his ace and king of clubs—and on the second club West was forced to discard a heart.

Mr. Gunn had a perfect reading on the West hand. West had showed out of both clubs and diamonds, and as East had shown out of spades, the nine and seven of spades were definitely located in the West hand, leaving nothing else that West could hold but three hearts.

So Mr. Gunn led a small heart, won in dummy with the ace, cashed his king of hearts and then led a small heart from dummy, throwing West in the lead. West was forced to lead from his nine-seven of spades into the dummy's ten-eight.

Here we find a hand in which not one of the suits would break, but still the declarer made his slam contract by employing an end play.

MACAO MATTERS

GOVERNOR EXPECTED TO
RETURN SHORTLY

Macao, June 19. Dr. P. da Rocha Santos, Officer Administering the Government, has received a telegraphic message from H. E. the Governor (Lt. Col. Bernardes de Miranda) who is in Portugal attending the Portuguese Colonial Conference, stating that problems of special interest to Macao will be brought up during the week commencing June 19.

These problems include a scheme for the utilisation and development of the reclaimed areas of the New Port, a scheme to join the Islands of Taipa and Colowan to Macao, a proposed agricultural station at Macao in the island of Colowan, a scheme to develop certain areas in the islands of Colowan and Taipa, and several smaller schemes to develop the colony.

The message adds that H. E. the Governor has already booked passage for the return trip to Macao. Special permission has been granted to him to delay his return for a few weeks to enable him to meet his family who are sailing for Portugal at an early date, on the recommendation of local physicians, who insist that the Governor's little son must leave Macao as soon as possible.

Religious Film

Catholics at Macao were recently given the opportunity of hearing from an Australian Journalist, Miss Jean Armstrong, all about her experiences at Goa and seeing a film of the last exposition of the body of St. Francis Xavier. The picture was shown twice at the Capitol Theatre, which was crowded to overflowing on both occasions.

After describing her own miraculous cure of a spinal disease, Miss Armstrong told about the enthusiastic manner in which the Indians and other visitors to the Church of Bom Jesus, in Old Goa, entered into the celebration held last year at the shrine of St. Francis Xavier.

The life of St. Francis Xavier is well known and his labours in the East are also not unfamiliar to the Catholics at Macao, but it was the first time that they were given the opportunity of viewing the ceremonies and the dignified manner in which the saint's body is treated at Goa, and more particularly the cures effected at the tomb of the saint.

The picture showed scenes of Old Goa and New Goa and other parts of Portuguese India.

The lady journalist is going from place to place telling her story and showing the picture. She has much to say about the good work already done through the spreading of a better understanding of the glories of St. Francis Xavier.—Our Own Correspondent.

AUSTRIA'S PERIL

BRITISH SYMPATHY
FOR VIENNA

London, June 19. Sympathetic reference to Austria's attempts to resist the Nazi pretensions, were made by Capt. Eden in the House of Commons today when he said the Government was watching the efforts which Dr. Dollfuss, Austrian Premier was making to establish Austrian finances on a sound basis and maintain the authority and independence of the state. He regretted the recent Austro-German incidents, he said.—Reuter.

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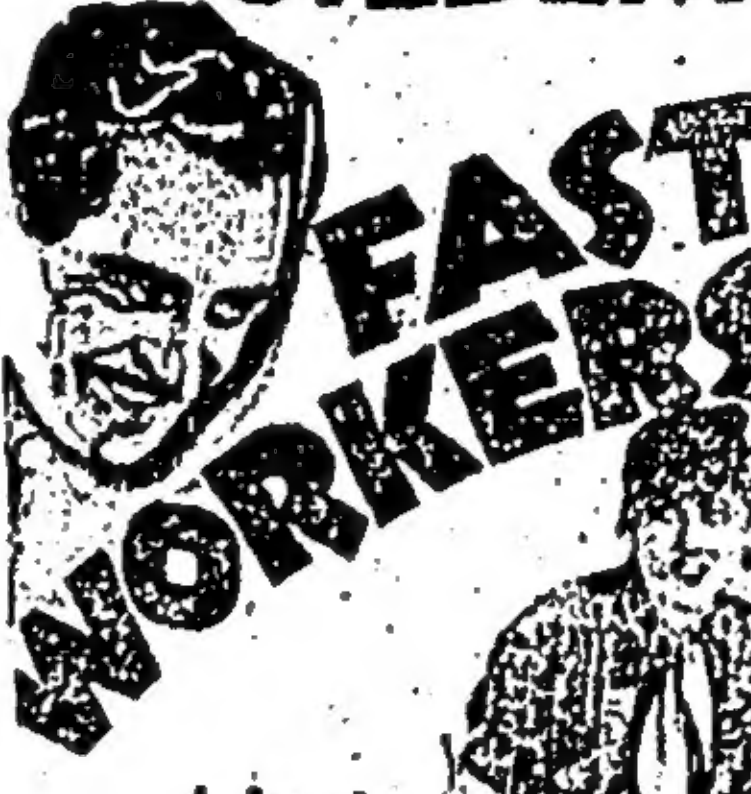
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A new tannery, to be managed by a number of Chinese returned from abroad, and who claim to have had long experience of foreign methods, is shortly to be established on the mainland.

A large site for the purpose of the new undertaking has been acquired at Mataukok. At an auction of Crown lands held at the offices of the Public Works Department yesterday, Mr. Fung Man-kai, acting for the Company, paid \$4,139 for the site, which is situated at the junction of Pak Tai and San Shan Streets, and has an area of 5,618 sq. ft.

Mr. H. West, Assistant Superintendent of Crown Lands, was the auctioneer.

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RANPURA	17,000	29th July	Bombay, M'les & L'don
RAJPUTANA	17,000	12th Aug.	Bombay, M'les & L'don
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IBANGALORE	6,000	12th July	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yoko
TALMA	11,000	13th July	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
RAJPUTANA	17,000	13th July	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yoko
RANCHI	17,000	27th July	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yoko
TILAWA	10,000	27th July	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
TANDA	1,000	5th Aug.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yoko
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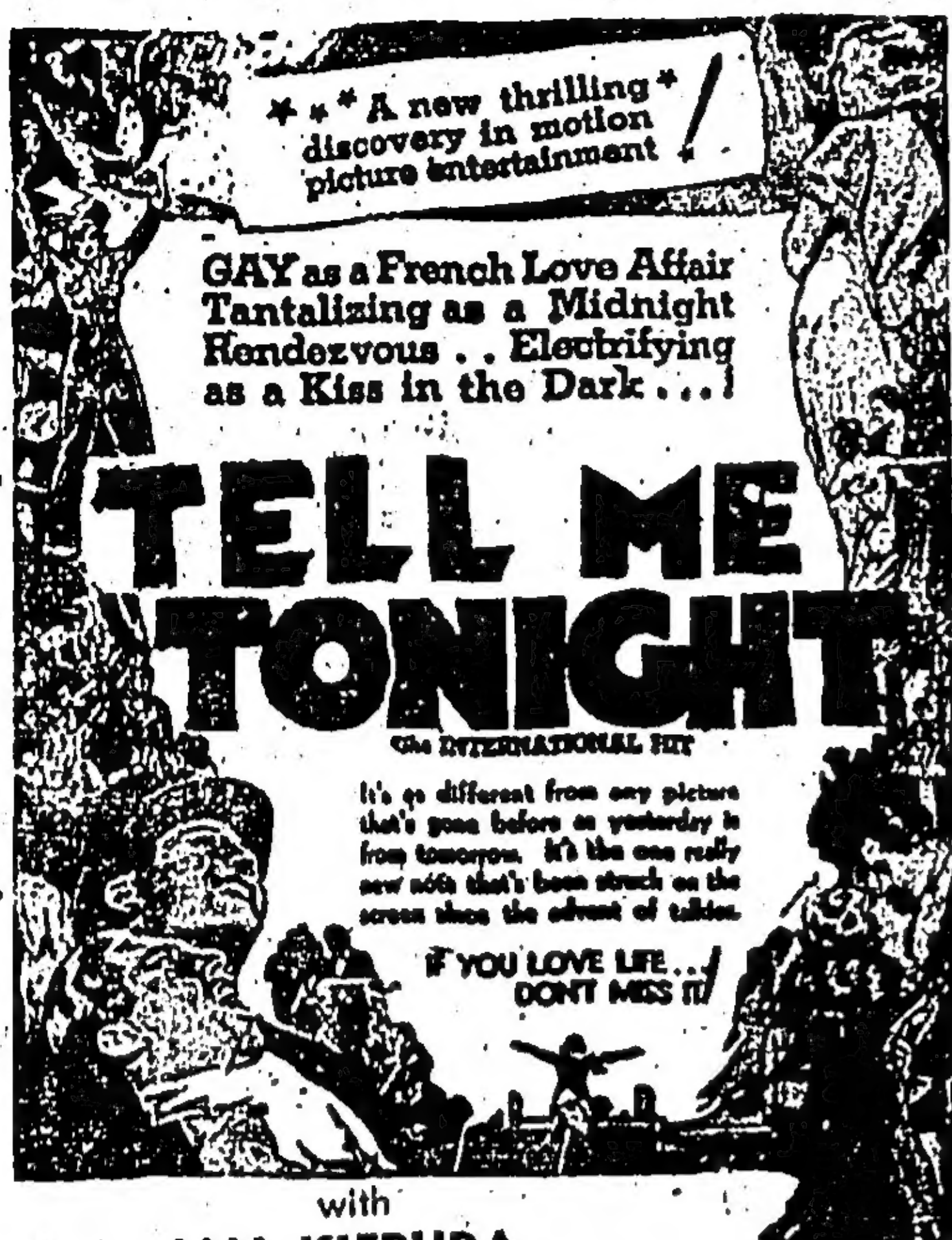
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\$50 OBTAINED BY FRAUD

RICE SHOP SWINDLED BY FOKI

How a Chinese, Chau Sin-fan, representing himself to be a foki of the Hang Mau rice shop in Pokfulam, obtained \$50 from the Wo Shing rice shop, No. 23, Pokfulam Road, was told to Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistrate's court this morning.

Acting Sub-Inspector O'Donovan charged the defendant with obtaining \$50 by false pretences.

Outlining the case, the police officer stated that about 9 a.m. on June 18 the defendant went to the Wo Shing rice store and said he had come from the Hang Mau shop to borrow \$50. Apparently the defendant was formerly a foki of the Hang Mau shop, and had been in the practice of going to the Wo Shing from time to time. They gave him the money, but later telephoned the Hang Mau shop and discovered that the defendant had not been sent from there.

Yesterday afternoon, the defendant was seen on board the s.s. Charles Hardouin and arrested. He admitted the charge, and said he wanted the money as he had no food, and he wanted to go back to his native place. He had given the money to a friend on the same boat.

Mr. Schofield ordered defendant to pay \$50 amends to the complainant or to go to prison for one month, and in addition to serve one month's hard labour for the theft.

WETS WIN IN MASSACHUSETTS

VICTORY FOR REPEAL BY FOUR TO ONE

Wets claim a victory in Massachusetts for the repeal of prohibition by more than a 4-to-1 majority.

Returns from 28 out of 39 cities and 123 out of 316 towns showed the following vote.

For repeal, 214,582.

Against, 51,862.

Wets claim they were successful in naming all 45 of the delegates to the state convention which will pass on the proposal to repeal the 18th amendment.

Massachusetts thus became the 10th state to approve repeal. Others in the wet column are Michigan, Wisconsin, Rhode Island, Wyoming, New Jersey, New York, Nevada, Illinois and Indiana.

No state has yet rejected repeal.

RAILWAY DISASTER

12 KILLED AND 50 MISSING

Stamboul, June 11.

The Taurus express from Baghdad to Angora, the capital of Turkey in Asia, ran off the rails on Saturday at Eski Shehr, owing to damage to the track caused by floods, and plunged into the river.

According to the latest reports 12 passengers were killed outright. Fifty others are missing, and fears are entertained that they may have been drowned.

PUTTING STOP TO A NUISANCE

CHILD BEGGARS IN PEDDER STREET

Police have taken steps to abate the nuisance caused in Pedder Street at night by children begging and women pestering people coming out of the King's and Queen's Theatres with squeaking rubber toys.

In charging a woman before Mr. Wynne-Jones in Court this morning, with aiding and abetting a boy to beg, Sub-Inspector Smith stated that it might have been noticed that when patrons are leaving the King's Theatre and Queen's Theatre about a dozen children approach them with roses. 'People often give ten cents to keep the pests away.' A Chinese constable last night overheard the woman giving instructions to one boy. Defendant was cautioned.

"You are a perfect nuisance with these toys and I have seen you popping them in people's faces. You have done it to me," remarked Mr. Wynne-Jones in cautioning another woman for selling rubber toys after 10 p.m.

S. I. Smith said that when the woman was brought to the Central Charge room, last night she screamed, became hysterical and lay on the floor. She was then charged with hawking without a licence. Later she threw a bag at the policeman. The bag contained her licence.

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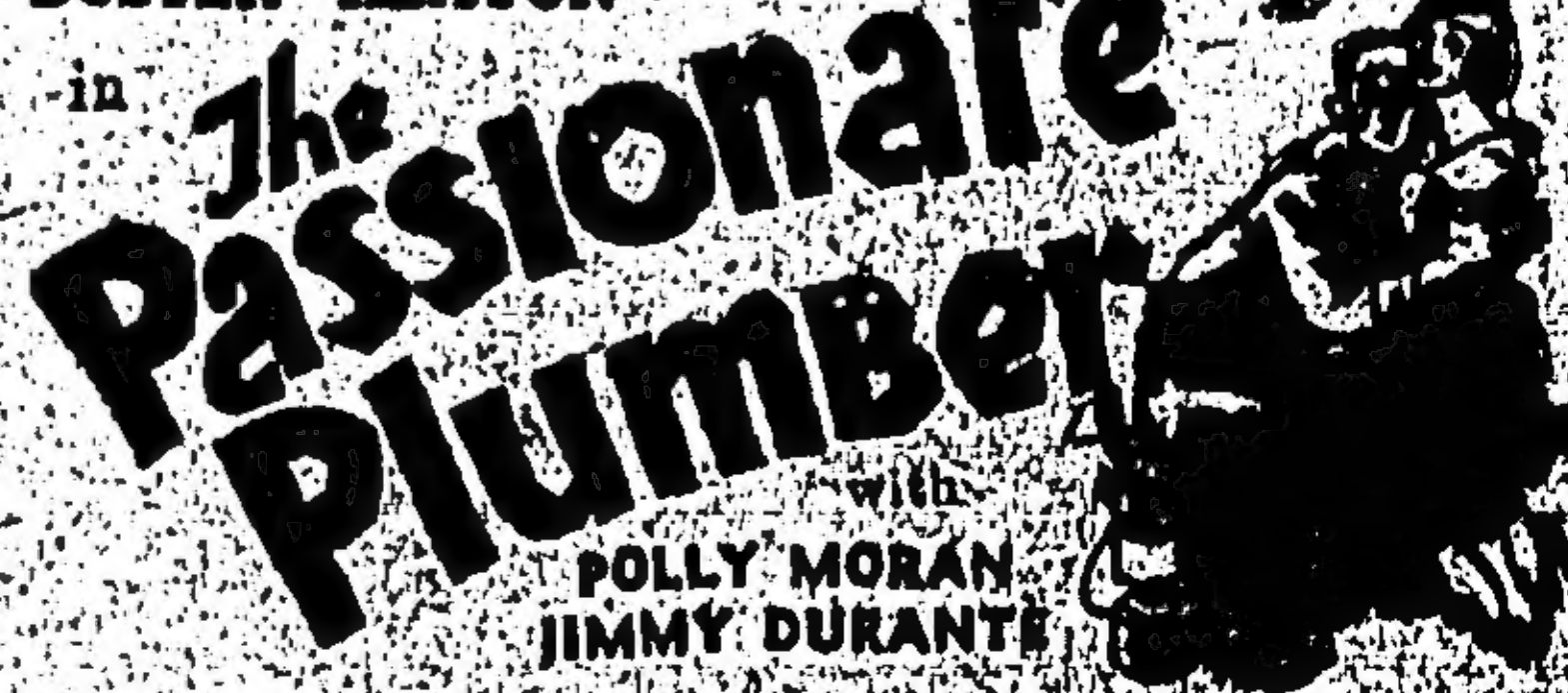
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